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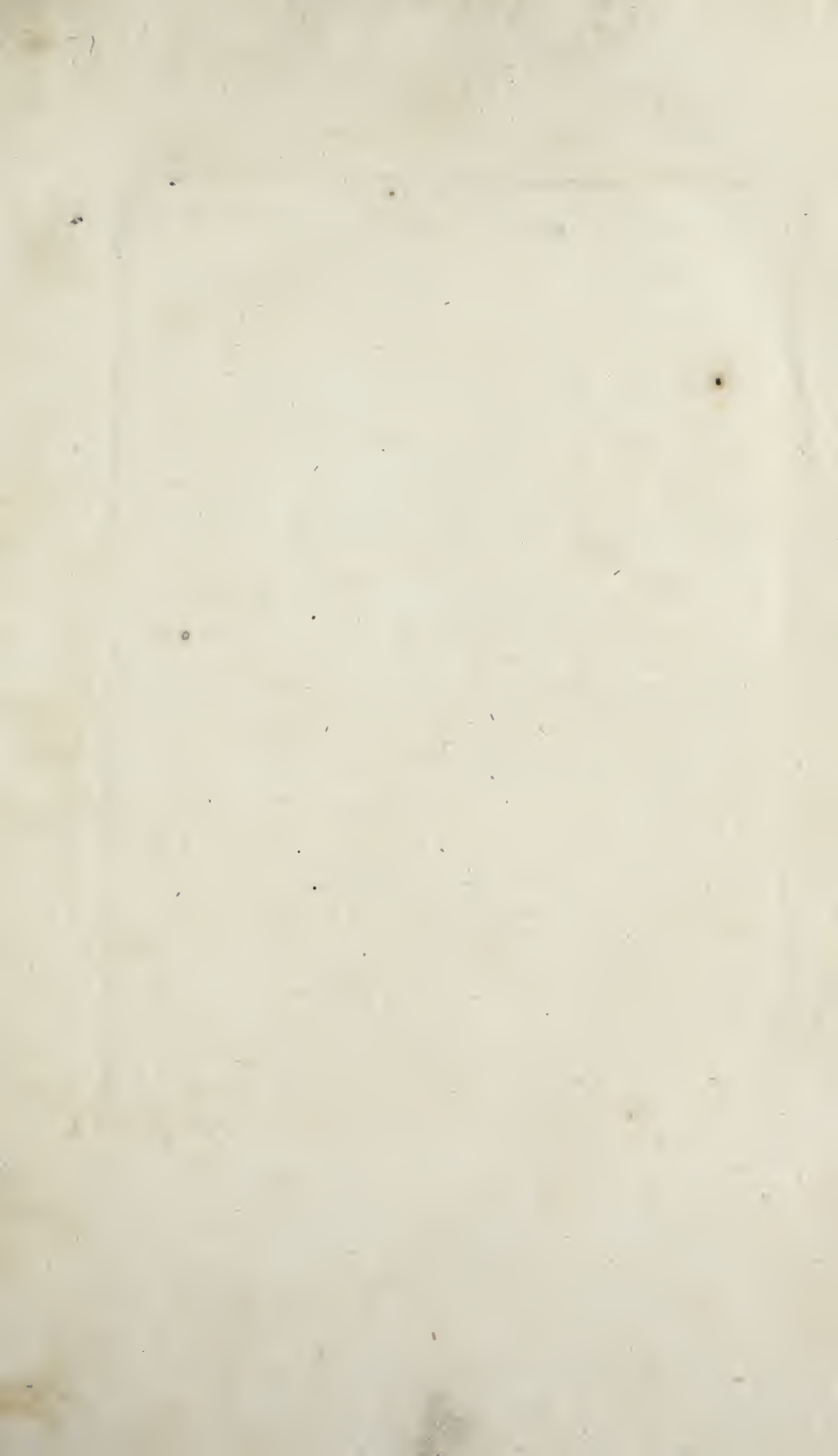
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4, 1598.—57. Mr. Langley (See No. 43.) to Mr. Hicks, for his recommendation to do any business for Mr. Secretary as a Judge's or Lawyer's Clerk, June 7, 1599.—58. Mr. Henry Maynard (who has some new Office in the Military way) to Mr. Hicks, of their Encampment, and of private Affairs, Aug. 11, 1599.—59. Mr. Beeslone to Mr. Hicks, on his being made Treasurer of Lord Essex's Fleet, with a Postscript by Mr. Gorges, July 7, 1599.—60. Sir Robert Wrothe to Mr. Hicks, to use means for apprehending dissolute Persons who frequent Layton Heath in the night-time, Oct. 16, 1599.—61. Mr. Willett to Mr. Hicks, returning him thanks for the use of his Horse, and that he presents Mr. Hicks with two Barrells of Colchester Oysters, Nov. 1599.—62. Sir Richard Martyn to Mr. Hicks, to intreat Mr. Secretary to remind the Queen to sign his Patent for the Wardenship of the Mint, Dec. 9, 1599.—63. An Account of the Traiterous Actions of Richard Bellamye of the Parish of Harrow on the Hill, 1599.—64. A State of the Case of Anthony Radclyff, Defendant, against Richard Bellamye, Complainant, before Mr. Secretary, 1599.—65. Mr. Secretary Cecill tells Mr. Hicks he would take no advantage of his Authority to punish some who killed his Deer, Jan, 1599, 1600.—66. Mr. Secretary Cecill gives Orders to Mr. Hicks concerning his Park in Hertfordshire, and at Theobalds, May 1600.—67. Directions of Mr. Secretary, by Mr. Richard Percivall to Mr. Hicks, relating to Ld. Thomas Howard's borrowing 700l. 1599, 1600.—68. Four Receipts given by Mr. Hicks in virtue of his Office of Feodary of Essex, to W. Fleetwood, Esq. Receiver of the Court of Wards, 1599, 1600.—69. Profits of the Feodaryship of Essex upon Offices farmed there, ending at Michaelmas, 1600.—70. State of a Case betwixt Mr. Thomas Offley, Plaintiff, and Sir Baptist Hicks, Defendant, Copartners & Merchants, 1600.—71. The E. of Essex Earl Marshal's Answer to the remonstrance of the Lord Keeper Egerton, (See No. 15, and No. 52.) 1599.—72. Four Letters of Lord Lumley to Mr. Hicks. The first, to dine and converse with him about Business, June 23. The Second, to inform him if he has dealt in his Affairs, July 1st. The Third, that he would dispatch his Business with the Comptroller of the Works, Aug. The Fourth, thanking him for his friendly Offices to him, and his Kinsman, Sept. 9, 1600.—73. A severe Letter of the Queen to the Earl of Essex, for his Misconduct, when Commander of the Forces against the Rebels in Ireland, 1599.—74. Mr. Anthony Bacon (as it shou'd seem) to the Earl of Essex, not to despair of being reinstated in the Queen's favour, 1599.—75. The Earl of Essex's Answer to Mr. Bacon, by which it appears he is become desperate; these two last Letters are Printed in Bacon's Resuscitatio, 1599.—76. The Society of St. John's Coll. Cambridge, in Latin, to Sir Robert Cecil, to become their Protector in lieu of his deceased Father, April 16, 1600.—77. Mr. Secretary Cecill to Mr. Hicks, concerning Security for a Debt, and of

the Queen's intention to have a New Secretary, May 1600.—78. Mr. Alderman Gerrard to Mr. Hicks, to procure that his Relation may be freed from the expence of maintaining a Light House, July 5, 1600.—79. Mr. Francis Bacon to Sir Robert Cecil, now Earl of Salisbury, representing the Affection he has for him, July 20, 1600.—80. Lord Salisbury to Mr. Hicks; a Letter containing imperfect hints on various Subjects, with little Connection, July 28, 1600.—81. Sir William Ruffel to Mr. Hicks, to apply for him to Mr. Secretary, that he might procure a certain Place he expected, July 20, 1600.—82. Mr. James Altham of Grays-Inn, to Mr. Hicks in the Country, to send him a Buck, Aug. 2, 1600.—83. Sir Robert Wrothe's invitation to Mr. Hicks and his Wife, his Brother Baptift, and four others, to partake of the sport of Hunting, &c. Sept. 9, 1600.—84. Sir Robert Wrothe to Mr. Hicks, that as he cannot come to hunt at the appointed time, he would fix it for the Monday se'nnight, and bring his Bowles with him, that they might play at that Sport also, 1600.—85. Mr. Thoresby of Lincolns Inn to Mr. Hicks, that he shall at present decline seeking after a place, but will accept his kind assistance another time, Nov. 3, 1600.—86. Mr. Francis Bacon to Mr. Hicks, concerning some Money he was to furnish him with, and that he had provided Sureties, 1600.—87. Lord Salisbury to his man Roger, to order his Coachman with his Horses and bigger Coach to take Mr. Hicks and his Wife from Ruckholt to London, 1600,

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B. without direction, or means of knowing for whom intended, asking Pardon for some great fault, since found to be Bolton, mentioned in No. 54. 1603.—73. Mr. Earthe to Mr. Hicks, to send his Lord [Lord Devonshire] some Colchester Oysters, Aug. 1603.—74. Mr. Robert Bouthe, in the name of his Lord and Lady at Harold's Park, invites Mr. and Mrs. Hicks to the killing of a Stag, Aug. 18, 1603.—75. A Draught of the Will and Testament of Mr. Michael Hicks, which seems to be the first he made, and that in haste, dated Aug. 24, 1603.—76. Another very short rough Draught of the Preamble of Sir Michael Hicks's Will, then a Knight, dated June the 7th, 1609; to which, on another Paper, is annexed the Will it self, though in an uncorrect manner.—77. Lord Cecyll jeers Mr. Hicks for refusing Knighthood at this time; he tells him he goes to Winchester to shun the Plague. &c. Sept. 10, 1603.—78. Lord and Lady Shrewsbury return Mr. and Mrs. Hicks thanks for their kind Entertainment at Ruckholt, and send their Son a little Horfe, Sept. 16, 1603.—79. Lord and Lady Shrewsbury tell Mr. Hicks they hear with concern the Man who took up the little Horfe for master Hicks, is dead with the Plague, but hear nothing of the Beast. Lady Shrewsbury sends to Mrs. Hicks two baked Pies, Oct. 21, 1603.—80. Lord Cecyll to Mr. Hicks, that he is come to his Seat near London, and desires to see him, but bids him take heed of infectious places in his passage, Oct. 24, 1603.—81. A long impertinent Letter of Cuthbert Bolton to Mr. Hicks, formerly his servant, the same whose Letter is No. 72, 1603.—82. Lord Shrewsbury to Mr. Hicks, that he wants to hear from him oftener, and especially to write to him of the proceedings against the Traitors, Nov. 4, 1603.—83. Sir Thomas Smith to Mr. Hicks, that he has not yet succeeded in procuring his Money from Lord Chandois, but hopes shortly to effect it, Nov. 19, 1603.—84. Mr. Henry Maynard briefly mentions some private business to Mr. Hicks, and then makes apology for not visiting him for some time past, Nov. 21, 1603.—85. Lord and Lady Shrewsbury to Mr. Hicks, reminding him of their Request to hear from him of the Arraignment of the Traitors, if he went to Winchester, Nov. 30, 1603.—86. Mr. Earth in affliction for the loss of his Child, thanks Mr. Hicks for his friendly consolation, &c. Nov. 30, 1603.—87. Mr. Earth thanks Mr. and Mrs. Hicks for presents he had received from them, and makes Apology for the meanness of what he had sent in return, 1603.—88. Mr. Earth acquaints Mr. Hicks that his Family are all well, except that the Maid who attended his deceased Child, has a Swelling under her Ear, which yet they hope is not the Plague, Dec. 3, 1603.—89. Mr. Earth shews to Mr. Hicks the great regard he has for him, and expresses his fears that the Infection may spread in his Family, 1603.—90. Sir Vincent Skinner recommends to Mr. Hicks a poor Widow for a vacant Alms-

place in Westminster, where he had influence, Dec. 23, 1603. 91. Sir Edward Sulyarde invites Mr. and Mrs. Hicks to spend their Christmas at his House, and that their Trunks may be conveyed in his Cart, Dec. 15, 1603.—92. Mr. Earth tells Mr. Hicks, that as his Family continue all well, he hopes to have a happy meeting, but forbears for a time, not to endanger his Friends, Dec. 16, 1603.—93. Mr. Earth informs Mr. Hicks that his Lord [Devonshire] thought the House too dear, which he [Mr. Hicks] was impowered to sell to him, Dec. 19, 1603.—94. Sir Henry Lee complains to Mr. Hicks he has neither seen nor heard from him for some nine Weeks, he however wishes him and Mrs. Hicks the pleasures of the Season, Dec. 22, 1603.—95. Sir Robert Wrothe to Mr. Hicks with half a Doe, he insists upon his Company, with Sir Thomas Lowe, &c. to come and eat Oysters with him, Dec. 23, 1603.—96. A friendly Letter of Lord Shrewsbury to Mr. Hicks, describing how painfully he has been confined with the Gout, Dec. 27, 1603.—97. Lord Cecyll to Mr. Hicks, to send him a Pearl belonging to him, which he had in his Custody, Dec. 30, 1603.—98. A Copy of an Order in the Exchequer, signed by Mr. Fanshaw, concerning a Copyhold at Orsett in Essex, 1603.—99. The voluntary Deposition and Confession of a Woman Servant in Mr. Hicks's Family, pregnant by a fellow Servant.—100. Peter Makinson, Mr. Hicks's Butler, his complaint that a fellow Servant has by his Slanders prevented his Marriage with a Woman Servant of the Family, 1603.—101. Peter Makinson's Bond for 40*l.* given to the Overseers of Low-Layton, for maintenance of a Child, with which the young Woman Servant in Mr. Hicks's Family was pregnant, and who had sworn it to him, Jan. 7, 1603, 4.

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Dealings with the Papists, more dangerous and more insolent, &c. Dec. 18, 1604.—29. Sir H. Maynard tells Sir M. Hicks he is sorry he could not kill a Buck sooner for the Lord Mayor. He wants to hear News, &c. Dec. 30, 1604.—30. Mr. J. Earthe complains to Sir M. Hicks of Sir R. Wroth's Refusal to grant Wanstead Walk, to Lord Devon, though he had promis'd it, Dec. 4, 1604.—31. Cuthbert Bolton's Acknowledgment of what he pilfer'd from his Master Sir M. Hicks, humbly imploring forgiveness; to which is added, though on another Paper, his Acquittance or Acknowledgment of receiving 15*l*. from the said Sir M. Hicks, 1604.—32. Sir Baptist Hicks to his Brother Sir Michael to borrow Money of him for Payment of some more of his Debts.—33. One Mr. Rob. Kayll shews his Thankfulness to Sir M. Hicks for his Favours. Sends him a Cask of Sack, and promises 40*l*. besides in Money or Plate, Feb. 25, 1604, 5.—34. Sir Roger Owen, in a short Note, tells Sir M. Hicks he has sent the State of certain Lands, which he mentions not, 1604, 5.—35. A Bond for 300*l*. given by Thomas Gawen, of the Parish of Hornchurch, Essex, to secure the Payment of an Annuity of 52*l*. to Henry Weald of the said Parish, May 31, 1605.—36. Part of a Court Roll of the Manor of Purfleet, Essex, on a Commission held there, Jan. 7, 1604.—37. Lord Treasurer Dorset to Sir Mich. Hicks, Steward of the King's Manor of Barking, to hold a Court, and admit one Campion to be a Copyholder there, June 13, 1605.—38. Lord Treasurer Dorset to Sir M. Hicks, Steward of the Manor of Barking, to admit Tho. Spencer to a Copyhold there, June 15, 1605.—39. Sir Julius Cæsar to Sir M. Hicks, Steward of Barking, to hear and determine the Case of certain Claimants to a Copyhold in that Manour, June 23, 1605.—40. The Lord Treasurer to Sir M. Hicks to hold a Court at Barking, to accept of Weald's Surrender of his Copyhold, and admit Thomas Gawen to the same, June 28, 1605.—41. The blank Form of a Privy Seal for a Loan to the King, for the year 1605.—42. A Latin Letter of Henry Scultetus, a Foreigner, to his Friend in London, concerning the Troubles in the Empire, 1605.—43. Gilbert Earl of Shrewsbury to Sir M. Hicks, to procure a License for Sir T. Markham's Son George to travel abroad, April 20, 1605.—44. Lord Salisbury's Letter of Thanks to Sir M. Hicks, for his congratulating him on some Honour he had lately receiv'd, May 6, 1605.—45. Lord Wm. Burghley at St. Leonard's, near Newark, thanks Mons. Beaulieu at Antwerp, for communicating the Particulars of Lord Hartford's Embassy, June 6, 1605.—46. Lord Cobham presents Lord Salisbury with his Translation of three Books of Seneca, and hopes he will procure his Liberty from the King, July 24, 1605.—47. Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, promising that he will procure him Palmer's Wardship, and to be a Dealer in a Lottery to be soon established, 1605.—48. Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, to stand Proxy for him to Sir T.

Smith's new-born Child, with other various injunctions; Aug. 14, 1605.—49. Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, to accompany him 4 or 5 Miles out of Town, and not to fail, Sept. 16, 1605.—50. Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, to send him what Account he can meet with relating to Wales, Oct. 18, 1605.—51. Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, to send him a Project concerning Bee-hives, which he had borrowed of him, Oct 19, 1605.—52. Sir Robert Dudley to Arthur Atie, Gent. to procure him some farther Proofs of his Mother's Marriage, No. 2, 1603.—53. The Vice-chancellor and Heads of Houses in Cambridge to Lord Cecil, to pardon Mr. Chadwick for omitting a College Exercise occasion'd by his Grief for the Death of his Mother, April 3, 1605.—54. Sir Edward Denny to Sir Michael Hicks, with Thanks for the Use of his Horse, May 18, 1605.—55.—Mr. Kayll to Sir M. Hicks, to intreat Lord Salisbury for a Clerkship of the Council, in place of Sir T. Smith, who had resigned, May 13, 1605.—56. Sir John Linewraye to Sir M. Hicks, to procure for Sir Anth. Deering the Lieutenantcy of the Tower, in place of Sir Geo. Harvy, who was resigning on Account of his great Age; also Sir Anthony's Letter to Sir Michael on the same Subject, May 24, 1605.—57. Wm. Donhault, who had lost his Livelyhood, and been imprisoned on Lord Essex's Account, begs Sir M. Hicks's intercession for some Favour to be procured from Lord Salisbury, June 9, 1605.—58. Sir John Morice to Sir M. Hicks, to procure that his Brother Turner may succeed Mr. Serjeant Foster, Jan. 14, 1605.—59. Sir Peregrine Willughby in the Fleet Prison, to Sir M. Hicks, to remind Lord Salisbury of his Imprisonment for his Father's Debts, (See No. 14.) June 15, 1605.—60. Mr. Thomas More, an old Recusant, to his Neighbour Sir M. Hicks, to procure Mitigation of the Severity shewn to him, June 21, 1605.—61. Mr. Earthe to Sir M. Hicks, in behalf of one Ferdinand Parsons, who is desirous to be one of his Servants, Jan. 21, 1605.—62. Sir Robert Wrothe desires Sir M. Hicks to deliver in the Name of the Inhabitants of Waltham Forest, a Petition to Lord Devonshire for their Relief, June 24, 1605.—63. Mr. Earthe to Sir M. Hicks, to let him know the Earl of Devonshire has gladly received his Letter concerning some particular Business, June 27, 1605.—64. Sir Robert Wrothe to Sir M. Hicks, to settle the Time and Manner of delivering the Petition to the King, mentioned No. 62, July 5, 1605.—65. Sir Robert Wrothe to Sir M. Hicks, to let him know he has sent a Brace of Bucks to the Earl of Salisbury, July 21, 1605.—66. Mr. Earthe's timely Notice to Sir M. Hicks, to sue for the Wardship of an only Child of a Devonshire Knight, who had killed himself, Aug. 8, 1605.—67. Sir Henry Maynard's Invitation to Sir M. Hicks and his Lady, &c. to come and spend some Time with him at Eston Lodge, Aug. 10, 1605.—68. Sir Hen. Maynard to Sir M. Hicks, renewing his Invitation, and that he will have no Nay, &c. Aug. 12, 1605.—69. Mr. Kayll to Sir Mich. Hicks,

for his Assistance in procuring a certain Office he was aiming at, Aug. 17, 1605.—70. Sir Nich. Bacon intreats Sir M. Hicks to let his Daughter board at his House for Half a Year, or more, &c. Aug. 1605.—71. Sir H. Maynard to Sir M. Hicks, mentioning what Company were at his House, and how concerned they were not to have his Company with them, Aug. 22, 1605.—72. Sir Foulk Grevyll to Sir M. Hicks with Complements, and that he has sent a Buck to Lady Hicks, &c. Aug. 27, 1605.—73. Sir Bapt. Hicks mentions to his Brother Sir Michael Hicks, his great Debt from the King; hopes he will procure the Lord Treasurer's Favour to him, 1605.—74. Sir Wm. Bowyer to Sir M. Hicks, to apply to Lord Salisbury, for obtaining a certain Place in the Customs, Dec. 3, 1605.—75. Sir Baptist Hicks would know of his Brother Sir Michael how he must requite him for his Daughter's Wedding Dinner, &c. 1605.—76. Sir Henry Nevill to Sir Mich. Hicks, concerning some Recompence he expected from the King for his Services, Dec. 16, 1605.—77. The remarkable Letter sent to Lord Monteagle, conveying obscure Hints of the Powder Plot, 1605.—78. Sir Francis Bacon thanks Sir M. Hicks for his Kindnesses, and mentions what prevented his calling on him, Jan. 17. 1605.—79. Dr. Theoph. Ailmer humbly represents to Lord Salisbury the Justice of his Claim to Tythe Wood, as Parson of Haddam, Hertfordshire, Feb. 8. 1605, 6.—80. Dr. Tho. White to Sir M. Hicks, with certain Articles and Modes of Subscription against Popery, intreating he would try to get them enforced, Feb. 25, 1696, 7.—81. Mr. Wm. Becher at Paris thanks Sir M. Hicks for Favours; offers his Service; sends him some French News, March 2, 1605, 6.—82. Sir Henry Lee mentions to Sir M. Hicks his Intention of paying him some Money he owed him at the Time fixed, 1605, 6.—83. Sir Samuel Sandys, at his Lodgings at the Pied Bull in Stroud, Gloucestershire, to Sir M. Hicks, that he had no Intention to affront Lord Salisbury by what he uttered at the Council Table, and hopes he will excuse him to his Lordship, March 8, 1605, 6.—84. Mr. Earthe to Sir M. Hicks, concerning his dealing for Sir T. Hewett's House, &c. and a Place for one Mr. Thornton, March 15, 1605, 6.—85. Nich. Fabricius, in Latin, to Sir Robert Cotton, with Conjectures on Spelling the Word BRITANNICUS; on a Coin of Constantine, &c. Aug. 5, 1606.—86. A short Summons from Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, how and when to regulate his Journey that they may come together, 1606.—87. Lord Pembroke thanks Sir M. Hicks for forbearing to require Money he owed him, and desires to borrow 600*l*. more, June 30, 1606.—88. Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, concerning dealing with one Mr. Taylor for an Estate of his Lordship's at Mimms, 1606.—89. The Bishop of Lincoln to the Earl of Kent, Lord Lieutenant of Bedfordshire, of the Misdemeanours of one nam'd Bono, April 26, 1606.—90. Sir Edward Suliarde expresses to Sir M. Hicks, his Concern that his Servant is perverted to Re-

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of Proceedings at the King's Manour of Barking, Essex, Sir M. Hicks Chief Steward, with Associates, Oct. 15, 1608.—64. Directions of the Lord Treasurer, the Chancellor, and Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, to the Deputy Steward of the King's Manours in Essex, Dec. 20, 1608.—65. A Petition to Sir M. Hicks of the Masters of the Chancery, Sir John Tyndall, &c. concerning the Fine Office upon Alienations, Jan. 25, 1608.—66. A Second Letter from Mr. Wm. Bedell, Chaplain to Sir Henry Wootton at Venice, to Mr. A. Newton Preceptor to the Prince, on Venetian Affairs, [See No. 54.] 1608.—67. Sir H. Wootton Ambassador at Venice, desires Sir David Murray to procure the Prince's Letter to the state of Venice, to release his Friend imprisoned there, Apr. 24, 1608.—68. A Gentleman at Milan (whose Name is purposely erased) to his Sister, concerning Public Occurrences in Italy, May 22, 1608.—69. The Earl of Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, mentioning divers Matters, but in an obscure and almost unintelligible Manner, 1608.—70. Lord Wm. Burghley, in French, to Monsieur Beaulieu, in the retinue of the British Ambassador at Brussels, chiefly concerning Horses, Aug. 20, 1608.—71. A familiar Letter on various Subjects of Lord and Lady Shrewsbury, to their Brother the Earl of Kent, June 14, 1608.—72. Mrs. Essex complains to Sir Robert Cotton of the Vexatious Dealings of Sir Wm. Smith, hopes he will move Lord Privy Seal to assist her, 1608.—73. Sir Wm. Compton promises Sir M. Hicks he will send him his Money, as soon as he can receive it, June 10, 1608.—74. The Earl of Bedford to the Earl of Kent, concerning his Assignment of the Tythes of Warkworth in Northumberland, June 16, 1608.—75. Sir M. Hicks to Lord Shrewsbury, to wait till Thursday for Sir Henry Maynard's attending him; with his Lordship's Consent on the same Paper, June 21, 1608.—76. A Precept or Warrant from the Council to the Lord Lieutenant of Bedfordshire, for a Review of the Forces in that County, June 30, 1608.—77. Lord Harrington to a Person unnamed, concerning (what has an Appearance of) an Amour of the Prince, Aug. 3, 1608.—78. Lord and Lady Shrewsbury to Sir M. Hicks, concerning the King and Queen's Progress, the Prince's Stag Hunting, &c. Aug. 20, 1608.—79. The Bp. of Lincoln to the Lord Lieutenant of Bedfordshire, concerning the Assessment of the Clergy in Lincoln Diocese, Oct. 29, 1608.—80. Lord Harrington to Mr. A. Newton, with a Letter of an unnamed Lady, in Favour of an Upper Servant, 1608.—81. Lord Suffolk to the Earl of Kent, that Sir Thomas Tyrringham, as personally attending the King, is not to be assessed, Nov. 10, 1608.—82. The Earl of Shrewsbury mentions to Sir M. Hicks, his fear of the Gout, with other familiar Matters, Nov. 26, 1608.—83. Lord Shrewsbury congratulates Sir M. Hicks on his purchase of Gamston, thanks him for advising him to get out of the King's Debt, Dec. 12, 1608.—84. The Bp. of Bath and Wells tells the Earl of

Kent he cannot yet entertain Mr. Warner, as his Lordship desired, but will do it some time hence, Apr. 28, 1608.—85. A Chiding Letter of the Bp. of Lincoln to the Lord Lieutenant of Bedfordshire, for assessing the Clergy without his concurrence, and sends him the Council's Letter, Sept. 29, 1608.—86. The Bp. of Lincoln's Appointment of Commissioners for levying the Armour amongst the Clergy of Bedfordshire, Oct. 4, 1608.—87. The Bp. of Lincoln sends to the Earl of Kent an Authentique Book of the Clergy's Musters, hopes for his written Acknowledgment of receiving it, Nov. 12, 1608.—88. A Letter addressed to some Nobleman to pardon a Musician named Oxford, and Writer and Receiver unnamed, 1608.—89. A neatly written Letter of Edmund Bolton to Lord Cecil, desiring his Patronage of a certain Latin Composition, Apr. 18, 1608.—90. From an unnamed Person to the Earl of Salisbury, complaining of a Scandalous Clergyman in London Diocese, 1608.—91. Sir Michael Stanhope invites Sir Michael Hicks to the Funeral of one of his Brothers, April, 1608.—92. Sir M. Hicks recommends to Lord Salisbury 4 Persons fit to serve him in their several Capacities, on his becoming Lord Treasurer, Apr. 26, 1608.—93. Sir M. Stanhope desires his Father Sir M. Hicks to send him secretly the Character of one *Rider*, with whom he has great Dealings, June 21, 1608.—94. Sir Bapt. Hicks to his Brother Sir Michael's Lady, intreating her Acceptance of some purple Stuff striped with Gold, June 24, 1608.—95. Mr. Wm. Becher at Paris to his Father Sir Wm. concerning Preferment he was in Expectation of from Lord Salisbury, June 27, 1608.—96. Sir George More desires Sir M. Hicks to prevail on Mr. Parvise that he would sell him the Land he intends to part with, June 28, 1608.—97. Sir Samuel Saltonstall to Sir M. Hicks, that a stop may be put for a Time to some Proceedings in Chancery against him, July 2, 1608.—98. Sir Hen. Lee to Sir M. Hicks, that he has sent him an handsome easy good coloured Nagg, begs he would stay longer for his Money, July 4, 1608.—99. Sir Bapt. Hicks desires Sir Michael to procure of Mr. Chancellor a delivery of a former Covenant in Exchange for another, 1608.—100. Sir G. More tells Sir M. Hicks he has privately seen Parvise's Land, being 50 Acres poorly wooded, yet he would give for it 810l. July 11, 1608.—101. Sir Bapt. Hicks desires Sir Michael to prevail on Mr. Chancellor to pay to him a certain Sum of Interest Money, July 12, 1608.—102. Sir Hen. Maynard writes Word to Sir M. Hicks, of the great Illness of his Daughter in Law, and her happy recovery, July 12, 1608.—103. Sir Ralph Horsey to Sir M. Hicks, that he has sent him a good Young Horse, and will endeavour to get him a Saddle Gelding, July 20, 1608.—104. Sir G. More tells Sir M. Hicks he is willing to give to Mr. Parvise nine Hundred Pounds for his Land, July 25, 1608.—105. Sir Julius Cæsar to Sir M. Hicks, with a Warrant from Lord Treasurer for a good fat Buck, to be delivered to Wm,

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with a Bottle of Quintessence, and another for Lord Salisbury, with Syrup of Clove-gilly Flowers, Oct. 20, 1609.—26. Lord Pembroke to Sir M. Hicks, to let his Debt continue 12 or 6 Months longer, on the same security, and promises to give him a Gelding, Nov. 8, 1609.—27. Two Familiar Letters of Lord and Lady Shrewsbury to Sir M. Hicks, about defending an Apprentice who had been wronged by his Master, a Merchant, that she had unfortunately lost his last Letter, but had sent her Servant Nevil to rectify mistakes, Dec. 17, 1609.—28. Mr. Joseph Earthe thanks Sir M. Hicks for his Friendship in appointing him Godfather jointly with himself to his Grand Child, March 30, 1610.—29. Mr. Jos. Earthe to Sir M. Hicks, with thanks for Favours, and a promise to send him speedily some Oyl he was to procure, May 6, 1609.—30. Sir T. Glover, Ambassador at Constantinople, complains to Sir M. Hicks of the Insolence of his Son in Law Parvish, and sends 2 of his Letters, May 7, 1609.—31. Sir Wm. Bowyer complains to Sir M. Hicks of the ill Offices done him by one Bingley; and wants to stop his Insinuations to Lord Salisbury, May 15, 1609.—32. Mr. Young of Dublin desires Sir M. Hicks to recommend the Bearer, one Mr. Tokefield, who was ordered to come to Lord Salisbury, June 8, 1609.—33. Lady Carr to Sir M. Hicks, recommending to his favour a Certain honest poor Widow, who has a helpless family, June 12, 1609.—34. Sir Henry Maynard's Compliments to Mr. Hicks; complains of his sharp Disorder, but is in hope of recovery, June 16, 1609.—35. One Wm. Laborer proposes to Lord Salisbury, to mend all the High-Ways in the Kingdom, with half the Workmen now employed, June 21, 1609.—36. Mr. Joseph Yearth's Apology to Sir M. Hicks for postponing payment of a Debt to him, being this Term to pay elsewhere 2000l. June 29, 1609.—37. Lady Oxford, by her Steward Mr. Trentham, offers on Sale her Manour of Bretts to Sir M. Hicks, it lying convenient for him, July 3, 1609.—38. Sir Charles Moryson makes excuse to his Uncle Sir M. Hicks, for not coming to see him and play at Bowls, July 17, 1609.—39. One Mr. Parker, of a liberal Education, desires by Sir W. Hick's means to have Employment under the Lord Treasurer, July 18, 1609.—40. Sir Fr. Bacon's notice to Sir M. Hicks, with a Commission relating to the King's Service, is to be held at Sir M's. House, Aug. 6, 1609.—41. Two Letters of Mr. Parker to Sir M. Hicks, on the expediency of an English Agency at Florence, and himself to have that Post, Sept. 4, 1609.—42. Mr. Oldisworth to Sir M. Hicks, recommending one Mr. Ewer to be served by him in a Particular Affair, Sept. 23, 1609.—43. Sir Charles Moryson to his Uncle Sir M. Hicks, that a Gentleman will give him his price for a place in the Alienation Office, Oct. 14, 1609.—44. A friendly Letter of Lady Maynard to Sir M. Hicks, on Family Affairs, October,

1609.—45. Sir Charles Moryson to Sir M. Hicks, that if he procures for Dr. Wyatt, a King's Chaplain, the Deanery of Sarum, the Dr. will give him, [Sr. M.] 1000l. Oct. 20, 1609.—46. Sir V. Skynner complains to Sir M. Hicks, that his Brother Sir Baptist, had unworthily brought an Action against him, and begs his Advice, Nov. 28, 1609.—47. One Mr. Dod informs Sir M. Hicks, that Sir Wm. Fleetwood has fraudulently, and to the King's Loss procured a Lease for 40 Years, Dec. 7, 1609.—48. Sir V. Skynner recommends to Sir M. H. one Bill, a fine Scholar, to be Latin Secretary at Court, in place of Sir Thomas Smith, deceased, Dec. 8, 1609.—49. Littlebury informs the Lord Treasurer that one Wiseman had accused his Lordship of Bribery, with his Lordship's written reference of the Case to Sir M. Hicks, 1609.—50. Thos. Otes, a Servant in London, to Mr. Clayton, his unnamed Lady's Steward in Yorkshire, ordering Money for her Use, Dec. 1, 1609.—51. Chr. Davidson's request for an Act of Parliament, to enable him to recover the Office of Custos Brevium, formerly granted, but now withheld from him.—52. A Complimental Letter in Italian of Sir John Harington, at Venice, to Mr. Adam Newton, Tutor to the Prince, March 6, 1609, 10.—53. Lord Danvers to Sir M. Hicks, to moderate the Rate of his Composition to the King, having suffered a Recovery of Lands, Feb. 6, 1609, 10.—54. Lord Shrewsbury desires Sir M. Hicks to lend him 100l., Sir Michael agrees his Lordship shall have it, on promise of repayment in May next, March 3, 1609, 10.—55. Mr. Paul Thompson to Sir M. Hicks, for his Interest with Lord Salisbury, to obtain the Mastership of Trinity Colledge, Cambridge, Jan 1, 1609, 10.—56. A familiar Letter of Lady Maynard to Sir M. Hicks, concerning the Sickness and Recovery of Sir Henry Maynard, &c. Jan. 3, 1609, 10.—57. Sir Fr. Harris offers Sir M. Hicks, 40 Angels to befriend him in the business of a Lease he is dealing for, with Lord Salisbury, Feb. 27, 1609, 10.—58. One Mr. Proctor, desires Sir M. Hicks to recommend his Son, a Batchelor of Divinity, to the favour of the Lord Treasurer, Feb. 1609, 10.—59. Sir Arthur Savage, and Sir Bapt. Hicks, earnestly desire Sir Michael to come to them next day, on an Important Occasion, Feb. 26, 1609, 10.—60. Mr. Arthur Gregory, a Searcher, at Lyme, Dorsetshire, to Sir M. Hicks, concerning a Musick-Viol he has improved for the Lord Treasurer, &c. Feb. 25, 1609, 10.—61. An Account of Fines levied at the Kings Manour of Barking, Essex; upon Occasion of Surrenders, April 3, 1610.—62. Names of Manours in the County of Essex, in the King's hands, of which Sir M. Hicks is Steward, Nov. 9, 1610. [Much the same as No. 1.]—63. A Covenant betwixt the Steward of the Manour of Barking, and a Copy-holder, empowering him to be Guardian to an Infant, July 6, 1610.—64. Sir Griffith Markham to Monsr. Beaulieu, with the English Ambassador at Paris, on the March of 24 Companies of Netherlanders to Juliers, July 27,

1610.—65. Sir Edward Conway, from Abroad, to Sir M. Hicks, or Mr. A. Newton, of the Strength and present Disposition of Several States in Xtendom, March 26, 1610.—66. A Latin Letter in an affected Stile, consisting of more Words than Sentiment, from Robertus Junius Cosmopolita, to his friend Allan, Aug. 1610.—67. A Letter of Refusal of Lord Salisbury to Sir M. Hicks, in Answer to a Solicitation of Sir Michael for a Wardship. Sept. 6, 1610.—68. Lady Shrewsbury to Sir M. Hicks, thanking him for Money he had procur'd for her Lord and her, June 13, 1610.—69. Lady Shrewsbury to Sir M. Hicks, to continue a Bond for Money, near expiring, which he had given to Sir John Bentley, Nov. 5, 1610.—70. Lord Pembroke to Sir M. Hicks, to let his Debt continue to him Six Months longer, on the security as before, Nov. 9, 1610.—71. Edward Somerset, Earl of Worcester, recommends one Vaughn his Servant, to Sir M. Hicks, to purchase a Wardship of him, Dec. 18, 1610.—72. An Invitation of Lady Maynard to Sir M. Hicks, to Dine at her House the next Day with her Brother Bowyer, March 26, 1610.—73. Sir Edward Darcy to Mr. Adam Newton, for his interest in placing his two Sons in the Service of the Prince, April 10, 1610.—74. Mr. Watts a Clergyman to Sir Robert Cotton, for his interest with one Mr. Sacheverel, for the Parsonage of Reresby, April 13, 1610.—75. Mr. Gregory Sprint to Sir M. Hicks, for his interest with Lady Salisbury, that he may hold his Lease unmolested, &c. April 10, 1610.—76. Sir William Rider to Sir M. Hicks, jointly with others, to allow ground whereon an honest Bricklayer may build himself an house, May 4, 1610.—77. Mr. Henry Maynard desires Sir Michael's interest with the Lord Treasurer for the Reversion of the place of Clerk to the Parliament, June 1610.—78. Mr. John Barkley to one Walter Webb, signifying that, with Sir M. Hicks's approbation, he is willing to serve him, July 1610.—79. Sir Vincent Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, to get Lord Treasurer's protection for him, 'till time may enable him to satisfy his Creditors, July 25, 1610.—80. Sir V. Skynner's Apology to Sir M. Hicks, for having ignorantly hired his Cook; he intends to resign him to him, July 30, 1610.—81. Sir V. Skinner to Sir M. Hicks, to know the effect of his application to the Lord Treasurer for a protection for him, Aug. 2, 1610.—82. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, that he cannot see him at Ruckhold, as he intended, being under Arrest at Barnett for 900l.—83. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, that he continues under Arrest at Barnett, and hopes he will see him not ill-used, Aug. 1610.—84. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, complaining of his false Imprisonment at Barnett by Standish the Under Sheriff, Aug. 10, 1610.—85. The Apology of Messieurs Harrison and Glover to the Lord Treasurer, for having Arrested Sir Vincent Skynner, Aug. 11, 1610.—86. Sir V. Skynner with fresh complaints to Sir M. Hicks of the severe

dealings of Harrison and Glover, Aug. 1610.—87. Sir William Maynard to Sir M. Hicks, intreating him to procure a License for his two Brothers to travel to France, Aug. 14, 1610.—88. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, representing the wretched state of his Affairs and wishing for the Lord Treasurer's favour, Aug. 17, 1610.—89. Sir. V. Skynner to the Lord Treasurer, describing his Distress, and intreating his Lordship's friendly interposition, Aug. 17, 1610.—90. Sir V. Skynner tells Sir M. Hicks he is willing to give the Security required, and discover all his Debts, and how he may be relieved, Aug. 20, 1610.—91. Sir V. Skynner sends to Sir M. Hicks the particulars of his Affairs, and begs to see him and have his Directions, Aug. 1610.—92. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, with a further Account of his Affairs, and the likelihood of their being brought to a good issue, Aug. 22, 1610.—93. Lady Maynard's present of a Buck to Sir M. Hicks; praises Lord Cranbourn; wants him to direct her Sons before they Travel, Aug. 24, 1610.—94. Sir Francis Bacon's invitation to Sir M. Hicks, to attend his Brother's Funeral the Thursday following, Aug. 27, 1610.—95. Sir. V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, describing the particulars of his Agreement with a principal Creditor, Aug. 28, 1610.—96. Sir William Cooks of Gloucestershire tells Sir M. Hicks he is pleased to hear he is likely to become his Neighbour; he promises him a Buck, Sept. 3, 1610.—97. Sir Henry Poole of Saperton, Glostershire, appoints Sir M. Hicks at Sir William Cook's, Beverston-Castle, to meet him at Minching-hampton, Sep. 6. 1610.—98. Mr. Lorkin of Rochester to Mr. Adam Newton at Court, assuring he shall perform the service he has enjoined him, Sep. 9. 1610.—99. Sir John Tracy of Tuddington to Sir M. Hicks, that he will be attentive to a Business transacting betwixt Lord Chandos and him, Sept. 11, 1610.—100. Sir Edward Blount to Sir M. Hicks, with compliments, and recommending one Pagett to his favour, Oct. 7, 1610.—101. Sir Leonard Hide to Sir M. Hicks, to be favourable to a young Fellow who had confess'd a Larceny, Oct. 17, 1610.—102. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, describing particulars of fresh vexatious usage from his Creditors, Oct. 18, 1610.—103. Sir V. Skynner to Sir Robert Cotton, on the length of the time of adjournment of Parliament, and of his own illegal Arrest, Oct. 20, 1610.—104. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, that his distresses are increased; he begs to discourse with him how to regain his liberty, Oct. 20, 1610.—105. Sir Charles Moryson to Sir M. Hicks, to prevail with the Chancellor of the Duchy, that he may have the Wind-falls in King's Langley Park, as he has had for thirty Years past, Oct. 24, 1610.—106. Sir Charles Moryson to Sir M. Hicks, for his interest to excuse his serving the Office of High-Sheriff for this Year, Nov. 6, 1610.—107. Sir V. Skynner to Sir M. Hicks, to move for him for a Protection, by Lord Dunbarr's means, to have a little Liberty, Dec. 14, 1610.—108. Sir Henry Pool, a joint Referee

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Sola Salus servire Deo, sunt cætera fraudes.

Dieu m'a garde (a Pun) et gardera.

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Dum Mortem meditor, crescit mihi Causa Doloris.

10. A Jocosè Description of the Qualities of good Wine (in very old French.)—11. Various Latin Verses, and some Lines in old French, address'd to the Virgin Mary.—12. Nota de Causis qualiter Libertas Episcopatus (Dunelm.) fuit seysita in manu Regis, &c.—13. Incipit inventum quod fert Proverbia centum, a Collection of proverbial Sentences, in verse.—13 b. to 20. Various Arguments and Questions in Scholastic Theology.—The foregoing are the Contents of some spare Leaves at the Beginning; but the Bulk of the Volume consists of the following Articles.—1 to 104. *Summa Dictaminis Magistri Ricardi de Pophis*, &c.—105. *Literæ et Decreta diversorum Paparum*.—118. *Libellus in quo collectæ sunt Causæ Decretorum et*—121. *Quædam Formæ Litterarum Dno Papæ directæ*, &c.—143. *Altercatio Diaboli contra Christum*.—146. *Formulæ et Conclusiones diversarum Litterarum pro Clericis promovendis et alijs negocijs*.—184. *Constitutiones Othonis et Octoboni Legatorum Sedis Apostolicæ in Anglia*.—201. *Constitutiones Ric. de Kellaw Episcopi Dunelm.*—207, b. *Constitutiones Bonifacij VIII. Papæ*.—216. *Constitutiones et Synodalia Ecclesiæ Eboracensis*.—226, b *Constitutiones Ricardi III. (i.e. de Kellaw) Epi. Dunelm.*—229. *Constitutiones Walteri de Kirkham, Epi. M.S.*—234. Copies of various Letters of Edw. I. in French, to Richard Bishop of Durham; on Vellum.

- 405 A Register or Note Book of some Civilian (of Doctor's Commons, London) of the 17th Century, containing various Collections concerning Tythes, and a multiplicity of Cases, Informations, and Arguments, on Causes before the Ecclesiastical Courts, &c. fol.

- 406 A Register Book of the Archbishop of York, from 1223 to 1320, with a short Account of the Contents, by Dr. Ducarel, fol.—Register of the Archbishop of York. This Register Book is now (1763) in the Library of James West, Esq.—It contains 124 fol. and a great many Charters, and other Instru-

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ments relating to the See of York from Cal. Maii, A. D. 1223 to 6 Id. Jan. A. D. 1320. Of these there is a very good old Index at the beginning. The first 40 Charters are wanting, and it begins at Cap. 41. and ends at Cap. 378.—So that the whole Number of Instruments in this Register Book is now only 337. March 9, 1763, examined by Dr. Ducarel.

- 407 Sermones Ricardi Fitzradulphi Archiepi. Ardmach, fol.
- 408 Vita S. Thomæ de Becket Archiepi. Cantuariensis per Gul. fil. Stephani, item.—Vita ejusdem, alio Auctore, imperf. and a Fragment of the Vision of Piers Plowman, in old English verse, on Vellum.
- 409 Rentale factum per Fratrem William Haloughton, A. R. Henrici IV. 12mo. de omnibus Redditis pertinentibus Priori et Conventui Coventriensi, *a modern Copy on Vellum engrossed, from the original Record*, 4to.
- 410 A Volume of Dr. John Lightfoot, the Commentater's Studies and Collections, with an Index by John Strype, fol.
- 411 A Volume containing, viz. fol. 1. Liber Statutum, &c. Confraternitatis Corp. Christi in Civ. Eboracum, cum Nominibus Fratr. et Sororum ab anno fundacionis, 1408, ad annum 1446 (pergam)—2. Liber de origine Monasterij Fontanensis (chartæ)—3. Valores Temporalium Episcopatus Eliensis, 1608 (chart.)—4. Extenta Manerij de Caldecote facta, anno 14mo. Regni Edw. III. on Vellum.
- 412 Chartulary of Lunda, otherwise Monk-Bratton, in Yorkshire, with an Account of the Contents by Dr. Ducarel.—Chartulary of Lunda, otherwise Monk Bretton in the Deanry of Doncaster, and Archdeaconry of York. This is an imperfect Chartulary of the above-named Monastery, which begins at fol. 51. and ends at fol. 100. In 1633, this M. S. belonged to Sir William Ayrmine, Knt. it was sold in 1709, to Walter Clavell, Esq. at his Auction; was sold to James West, Esq. the present Owner, A. D. 1763. It contains an Account of Lands belonging to this Monastery, in the following Places, viz. fo. 51. Athewick and Scanceby, fo. 53. Haleton and Adwick, fo. 53. *b.* Tykhill, fo. 54. Mekebury, fo. 59. Neuhale, fo. 61. Melton and Wath, fo. 65. *b.* Coldelawe, fo. 67. *a.* Wurteworth, fo. 67. *b.* Brampton, fo. 68. Wath and Neuhale, fo. 69. *b.* Hoelton, fo. 72. Hykelton, fo. 73. Cateby, fo. 74. Codeworth, fo. 74. *b.* Milnehuses, fo. 75. Derfeld, fo. 76. Hillie and Smithelay, fo. 76. *b.* Doywellys, fo. 78. Markham, fo. 79. Tunstall and Holecumb, fo. 80. *b.* Akedene, fo. 81. *b.* Middelton en lepecke, fo. 82. Reddeburne, *ibid*, Ordinatio Vicar. de Roston al. Roreston, fo. 85. *b.* Wyrkeburgh, fo. 92. *b.* Decime prioratus de Monkbretton, from fo. 93. to fo. 100. Bulls of the following Popes, viz. Clement, Anno 34 Hen. II. Innocent, Urban 3. Honorius I. and Gregory 5. Examined April 18, 1763, by Dr. Ducarel.

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- 413 A Book of College-Exercises, Anno 1722, containing the Introduction to a Chronology of the Bible; and Quæstiones Logicæ, Physicæ, &c. 4to.
- 414 Theodore Beza's Sermons on the Passion of our Saviour, translated into English, 1597. fo.
- 415 Copies of Letters and other Papers concerning Queen Elizabeth's Proclamation for Uniformity in Religion; and of Proceedings, Anno 1584, on a Bill in Parliament, against Pluralities.—N. B. At the End of the Volume, are various theological Notes on Genesis.
- 416 Liber Sermonum dominicalium compositus a quodam Priore S. Bartholomæi Londonijs, fo.
- 417 A Volume of sundry latin Tracts (vide Index) of the 15th Century, concerning Heresy, Church Reformation, Ecclesiastical Power, and other Business of the General Council of Basil, then sitting.—N. B. At the end of the Volume are some ironical Stanzas of Eight Lines in English, said to be by Lydgate, and never printed. They seem to allude to the said Council's Decrees, and the Burthen of each Stanza is, that all was then as ryght as a Ramy's horne.
- 418 The New Testament in English by John Wicliff.
- 419 Leges et Judicia veterum Christianorum de coercitione Hæreticorum, a quodam Scriptore Italico, Anno 1512 circa.
- 420 A Modern Copy of a Patent-roll, Anno 1 Edw. IV. pro Decano et Collegio Westmonasterij, de Confirmatione, fo.
- 421 Registrum Cartarum Abbatix de Evesham, copied from the Cotton, Vespasian, D. 24. fo.
- 422 A historical Treatise of the Reformation, by some Roman Catholick Writer of Queen Elizabeth's Time, imperfect, beginning at the 2d Chapter.
- 423 Nomina omnium Rectoriarum et Vicariarum infra Regnum Angliæ et Cales et Marchiarum earundem ultra annualem valorem decem Librarum temp. Ed. VI.
- 424 Chartulary of the Abbey of Geronden, in the County of Lincoln, with an Account of the Contents, by Dr. Ducarel, on Vellum.—Chartulary of the Abbey of Geronden, in the County of Leicester. This fine Chartulary, containing 38 folios, belonged to the Duke of Buckingham, in 1680, and is now (1763) in the Library of James West, Esq. It is very fair; I believe the beginning is as old as the Time of Henry 1st. though the latter Part is no older than the Time of Edward 3rd.—Fo. 1. original Grant of Robert Boffu, Earl of Leicester, the Founder.—Account of Lands in fo. 1. 15, 16, 17, 19, Ybestocha, fo. 2. 12, 24, 25, Cortingestocha, fol. 4. 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 27, 28, Burtona, fo. 6. Goutebi, fo. 7. Ringoldetorp, fo. 7. b. 28. b. 29. Alebi, fo. 9, 10, 11. 18, 19, Bulls of the Popes, Lucius, Anastasius, et Alexander, et Chartæ of Hen. II. and of Robert Comes Senionis, fo. 11. b. 24. Lands in Stanton, fo. 19, 20, 21, a. King's Writs, &c. fo. 21. b. 30. Revenues of this Monastery, fo. 22. 30. Lands

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- in Halliwellshag.—f. 23. Do. in Suinefen.—f. 26. Do. in Rampeftena.—f. 31 to f. 38. Kings Writts and various Instruments ; in the last folio a Memorandum of Pefilences, A. D. 1348, 1360, 1368, and 1374.—Examined by Dr. Ducarel, April 20, 1763.
- 425 Examen de la Religion dont on cherché l'Eclairciffment de bonne Foy—attribué a Monfr. de St. Evremond.
- 426 Heaven's Apology, or a Defence of the Invocation of Angels and Saints, by P. J. a Ro. Cath. Divine, fol.
- 427 Regiftrum Reddituum Domorum & Terrarum pertinentium Officio Infirmarii Monafterii, S. Edmundi (Co. Suff.) Anno 1425, with an Account of the Contents by Dr. Ducarel, on Vellum.—Register Book of the Infirmary of the Abbey of St. Edmondsbury, called *Ikworth*.—This Register contains 93 folios.—It was in the Library of Charles Batteley, Efq. in 1698, and is now (A. D. 1763.) in that of James Weft, Efq. —it is thus intituled, "Regiftrum reddituum domor. terrar. " in villa et campis Sti. Edmun. et in aliis diverfis villis et " locis pertinent, officio Infirmar. Mon. Sti. Edmun. fact. " anno dui Mill'mo quadringentesimo vicesimo quinto-Domp- " no Thoma. Ikworth tunc Infirmario existente."—f. 1. Anniverfarium Stephani Medici.—f. 3 to f. 36. Account of various Lands in and about Bury, and a Rentale of what Lands they had at Bury.—f. 37 to f. 44. Account of Lands at Babwell, Berton, and Boxftead.—f. 45 to f. 51. Do. at Colcheſter with a Rentale of what they had there.—f. 52 to f. 84. Do. at Cavendyſh, Gypwicus, Hegham, Herleſtun, Hornynggesherth magna, Hargrave, Lyvermere, Maydwat, Mildenhale, Newton, Phaleſham, Ruſhbroke, Sydulneſmere, Schropham, Thetford, Tymworth, Werketon, Wlpet, with the Endowment of the Vicarage.—f. 85 to f. 93. Blank to f. 92, where there is a Charter of Edward the Confefſor ; ends with an Oath of Office.—April 18, 1763, Examined by Dr. Ducarel.
- 428 Register Book of the Abbey of Meldunum, al Malmesbury, (Co. Wilts) with an account of the Contents by the ſame, f. on Vellum.—Memorandum.—This Register Book of the Abbey of Meldunum, al. Malmesbury, in the County of Wilts, a MS. in the Library of James Weft, Efq. A. D. 1763 ; Begins 30th of July, A. D. 635, ends anno 17 Rich. 2. and contains 467 Chapters and 215 folios.—The ancient Index is imperfect from Capit. 162 to 300. The Book itſelf is imperfect, from Capit. 161 to 164 ; 169 to 174 ; 194 to 198 ; 344 to 357.—Doctōrs Commons, Jan. 10, 1763, Examined by Dr. Ducarel.—No. 812 (3) State of the Dioceſes, Religious houſes, &c. in England.—875. Collections of Monafterial Hiſtory.—1057, &c. 9 vols. of Bp. Kennett's Collections, intituled Church Register, &c.—The above are the only MSS that promiſes any thing relative to Malmesbury.
- 429 A Collection of Prayers and Godly Petitions, &c. (of about Q. Elizabeth's time) fo.

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- 430 The 47th vol. of Sir James Ware's Collections concerning Ireland, whose Contents are particularized in the 2d vol. of Wanley's Catal. Msstorum, Angl. and Hib. p. 10.
- 431 An Index of Abbeys, Priories, Hospitals, &c. Bishopricks, Deanries, Chantries, Chapels, &c. mentioned in the Patent Rolls. N. B. this seems to be one of the Volumes of Sir Symonds d'Ewes's Collections, fo.
- 432 An Ancient Psalter of about the 14th Century, with fair *illuminations*, and Initials, colour'd, fo. on Vellum.
- 433 A Collection of Papers and Tracts concerning the Jurisdiction of the Clergy.
- 434 Gregorii Archiepiscopi Constantinopolitani Opera Græcè (Seculi 12mo.) fo.
- 535 Enquiry into some privileges of the Church and Clergy, and more particularly whether Spiritual Revenues, especially Tythes, are liable to the Charges for repairing Highways, by P. Lancaster, Rector of Tarpurley in Cheshire, fol.
- 436 The Life and Death of Card. Fisher, Bishop of Rochester, fo.
- 437 Chartulary of the Abbey of Melfa or Meaux, in the County of York, with an Account of its Contents, by Dr. Ducarel, fol. on Vellum.—Chartulary of the Abbey of Melfa, or Meaux, in the County of York, MS. in the Collection of James West, Esq. A. D. 1763; it contains 154 folios; imperfect at the end.—From fol. 1, to fol. 27. Eighty-two Popes Bulls from Eugenius III. to Clement VI.—From fol. 28 to fol. 61.—Chartæ Archiepiscopar. & Capit. Ebor. a temp. Walter de Grai Ebor. Archiep. ad A. D. 1374.—From fol. 62 to fol. 88.—Chartæ Regum a Steph. ad Ed. 3.—From fol. 89 to fol. 154. Compositiones, Privilegia, Chartæ variæ, &c. &c. ab A. D. 1273. ad A. D. 1373.—Examined by Dr. Ducarel, Jan. 17. 1763.
- 438 The Original Acts, with three Seals appendent, of the annexation, and appropriation of the Rectory of Tredyngton in the Diocese of Worcester, to the exempt Monastery of St. Peter, Westminster. fol. on Vellum.
- 439 An Account or History of the Abbey of St. Peter in Gloucester, Latin, transcribed from the Cottonian Ms. Domitian, A. 8.
- 440 A Volume of Transcripts from Cotton Mss. fol. viz.—1. Calendarium Benefactorum Monasterii Eveshamensis. Vitellus E 12, since burnt.—2. Cartæ Saxonice Monasteriis de Westbury, Breodune & Wigornie pertinentibus, Nero E. 1.
- 441 Collections or Common place Book of Ecclesiastical Law, by the hand of Jn. Anstis (Garter) when very young.
- 442 A Volume of Transcripts from Cotton Mss. fo. viz.—1. Vitæ Abbatum Croylandiæ, Vesp. B. 12.—2. de Fundatione, &c. Fratrum minorum, Lond. Vitell, F. 12.—3. de Monasterio Glastonia, excerpta ex Will. Malmsbury.—Vitæ Abbatum Monast. S. Augustini Cantuar. Tib. A. 9.—5. Impositions and Taxes on the State, gather'd out of Monkich Registers

- and Stories, lat. from W. 1 to H. 7.—6. Taxations and Supplies laid on the State from W. 1 to H. 4.
443. Copy of Mr. Selden's Collections from the Registers of the Archbishops of Canterbury at Lambeth; also a List of Writs for summoning Convocations, copied out of Hales's Ms. in Lincoln's Inn Library.
444. An ancient Psalter, *with rich and fair Illuminations*, fo. appearing to have belonged to a Precentor of the Cathedral of Chichester, on Vellum.
445. A Missal of the 14 Century, fo. on Vellum.
446. A Volume in Characters of the 15th Century, containing, viz.—1. Interpretationes Hebraicorum Nominum ordine alphabetico.—2. Isidorus de Originibus rerum.—3. Expositio Libri Salomonis qui dicitur Ecclesiast. on Vellum.
447. A Register Book of all the Fines received of their Tenants by the Abbot and Monastery of Chertsey, from the 1st to the 21st Year of Edw. III. fo. on Vellum.
448. The Leiger Book of the said Abbey of Chertsey, with an account of the Contents, by Dr. Ducarel, fo. on Vellum.—Register Book of the Abbey of Chertsey, Co. Surrey.—A very fair Vellum Ms. in folio, now (1763) in the Library of James West, Esq. formerly in that of Lord Somers, and afterwards in the Library of the late Sir Joseph Jekyll, Master of the Rolls, which was sold by Auction at Paul's Coffee house. It begins 5 Id. Aug. A. D. 1307, ends die Martis in festo Ste. Petronille, ann. 18 Ed. 3, (i. e. A. D. 1344.) and contains 235 folios.—At the beginning and end, in a Modern hand, is an exceeding good Account of the Contents of this Register Book, where nothing is omitted except a Survey of the Manor of Egham, which is just before folio 1.—April 15, 1763, Examined by Dr. Ducarel.—N. B. Lord Somers bought many of his valuable Manuscripts of Henry Powle, Esq. who died Master of the Rolls, 1693, to whom this Book belonged, and whose Signature is at the Head of it. The Survey of the Manor of Egham is but a cancell'd Fragment of a more general Survey, entitled Bundacio Extentarium, Maneriorum ad Abbathiam de Certes Spectantium, facta tempore Johannis de Ruthewick Abbas.
449. A Volume of the 14th Century, with the following Inscriptions, *Iste Liber est de Librario Ecclesiæ, S. Mariæ & S. Ethelfledæ Virginis de Romesey*, containing a Chronicle of East and West Anglo-Saxon Kings, and a Legendary of Saxon Saints, Latin, and imperfect, on Vellum.
450. Biblia sacra ex versione, S. Hieronymi cum præf. (Sec. 14.) on Vellum.
451. Exemplar aliud (ejusdem Sec.) cum Interpret. Vocum hebr. item Liber Somniorum; et Tabula Epistolar. & Evang. fo. on Vellum.
452. Two original Indentures on Vellum, with illuminated Frontispieces, but without Seals, between Margaret Countess of

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- Richmond (Mother of King Henry VII.) and Jn. Islip Abbot of Westminster, dated 2d March, an. 21 H. 7. concerning her Benefactions to that Monastery, fo.—This original Charter, or Deed of Donation from Margaret Countess of Richmond (Henry VII's Mother) to the Abbey of Westminster, the Seal appendant to which is lost, and only the Strings remain, belongs either to the said Abbey as a Title-Record, or else to the old Royal Library (now deposited at the British Museum) as a Counterpart of the Abbot and Chapter's Engagement to perform the pious Duties required of them for the abovesaid Donation, or Endowment. It has probably been produced as a Law Evidence on some occasion, in old Lord Chancellor Somers's time; and after lying many years, forgot and mislaid among his Lordships's great Manuscript Collections, has fallen by purchase to either Mr. Ja. West, or Mr. Carteret Webb, from whom it came into the Marquis of Lansdown's possession by purchase likewise. It is of no use to any body but the Party's Representatives, and nothing but a mere ornament in My Lord's Collection, on account of its curious Illuminations, its Age, and the neatness of its Form.—The Charter of Foundation of Margaret Countess of Richmond, bearing Date the 2d of March, 21 Henry 7mi. of two Chantry Masses, and an Anniversary in the Church of St. Peter Westminster; and also the Charter for two Divinity Readers in the Universities, and a Preacher in Cambridge.
- 453 *Registrum Ecclesiæ prebendalis de Edyngdon in Dioc. Sarum, (Sec. 15.) fol. on Vellum.*
- 454 455 Register of the Crown presentations to Deaneries, Prebends, Rectories, &c. during the whole of Q. Elizabeth's Reign, 3 vols. fo.
- 457 A Volume containing sundry loose Papers, some of them being but Fragments and Remains of Mr. Jn. Strype's Studies and Collections, viz. Theological and Controversial—Excerpts of English History, civil and ecclesiastical—and Copies from Records, &c. on several particular Cases of College and Parish Church Privileges, Rights, Claims, &c. fo.
- 458 The Saxon Homelies of Aelfricus, transcribed anno 1712, by Elizabeth Elstob, fo.
- 459 A laborious Treatise on behalf of the Church of England Establishment, written about the latter end of Queen Elizabeth's Reign, fo.
- 460 A Volume of the Collections of Richard St. George Clarencieux King at Arms, 1624, intitled *Monasterialia*, &c. and containing Copies of the Foundation Charters of various Monasteries and Cathedrals, of which there is an alphabetical Index—also some Extracts from old Abbey Chronicles concerning the Families of Verdon, Geneville, Lacy, the Lords of Chirke and Pengethlyn, Bruce and Baliol, Percy and Tyfon, fol.
- 461 Part of the Register Book of the Priory of the Holy Trinity, of

Christ-Church, within Aldgate, London, with an Account of the Contents by Dr. Ducarel.—Register Book of the Priory of the Holy Trinity, or Christ Church, within Aldgate, London.—There is now (Feb. 10, 1767) in the Library of James West, Esq. F. R. S. and F. S. A. a MS. containing part of a Register Book belonging to this Priory. It consists of only 12 Leaves, on Vellum, in folio, wherein are contained, first, several Grants to the said Monastery, among others, the Foundation Charter of this Priory, with the subsequent Benefactions thereto of Braghyng Church, &c. 2dly, divers Deeds, &c. relating to the following Churches, viz. St. Edmund the King, All Saints, super Murum, St. Botolph without Aldgate, All Saints, Fancherch, Byxle in Kent, and the Endowment of that Vicarage.—The Cover is a Bull of Pope Urban to the Monastery of Biley. This MS. was examined by And. Coltee Ducarel, L. L. D. F. R. and A. S. Feb. 10, 1767, James West, Esq.—This Book contains, the Foundation of the Church of the Holy Trinity within Aldgate, with the subsequent Benefactions thereto, of Brangyng Church, &c.—*Quædam ad Ecclesiam omnium Sanctorum de Fanchurch Spectantia.*—The Cover is a Bull of Pope Urban's to the Monastery of Biley.

462 De Cabala Sacra, MS. with Scripture Genealogies, in Print.

463 A Volume of various Tracts, viz. fo.—1. Supplicatio Laur. Humphredi ad Reginam (Eliz.) et ad Proceres et Episcopos Anglicanos.—2. Oratio ejusd. ad Reginam in Aula Woodstoc, 1572.—3. A Latin Compliment of the President, &c. of St. John's College, Oxon. to Thomas Howard, Lord Audley.—4. Copy of the late Duke of Norfolk's Letter to his Children.—5. Defence of the reformed Churches' Judgement concerning Divorce, in case of Adultery.—6. Various Theological Notes.—7. Contra-apologetica R. Doctoris Matthæi adversus Edm. Campianum Jesuitam Oxonij 1581.—8. A theological Tract concerning Catechisms.

464 An old Missal (imperfect) fo. on Vellum.

465 Pontificale Romanum, with many curious Illuminations (of the 15th. Century) said to have belong'd to the Abbey of Evesham, but, seeming, rather to the Cathedral of Exon. fo. on Vellum.—This curious MS. was bought of old Mr. Fowler, at Evesham, and formerly belonged to the Abbey, by Mr. Somers, when a Council on the Oxford Circuit, and was afterwards bought by James West, at Sir Joseph Jekyll's Auction after his Death: I purchased the fine Antiphonarium which laid on that Altar, and the Heads of some of the Abbots of Evesham, of the same Person who was a Rigid Quaker. The Heads were painted on Glass, and are in my Church of Goresdon upon Stour, in Gloucestershire. J. West.

The Forms of Election of Kings and Bishops in England.

render this MS. a singular Curiosity, vide page 96. *b.* Ordo Eccl. Anglicane ad dedicand. Ecclesiam, fol. 111. *b.*

- 466 A Miscellaneous Volume containing, viz. fo.—1. A Register and Valuation of the Dignities, Prebends, &c. of the Cathedral of York, and of the several Sub-Deanrys, Rectories, Vicarages, &c. thereon depending (bearing date Feb. 1523, but imperf.)—2. A Protestant System of practical Divinity (of about Queen Elizabeth's Time, imperfect.)
- 467 Biblia sacra Latine Vulgata, fo.
- 468 John Wiccleve's English Translation of the Old Testament, *on Vellum*.—This old Copy of Wiclev's Bible I purchased out of the Library of Sir Joseph Jekyl. It formerly belonged to Lord Somers. This is the finest Copy I ever knew exposed to Sale. James West, February 27, 1738, 9.—N. B. it goes no further than to the Book of Job, and the Psalms. The Proverbs, &c. and the Prophets are wanting. Mr. Astle, Keeper of the Tower-Records (1787) no incompetent Judge, is of Opinion that this is the first and earliest English Translation known; and much older than Wicleve's Time, or somewhat near that of the Anglo-Saxons. The Translator hath given a very curious turn to the 11th Chapter of the 3d Book of Kings, beginning thus, "Forsothe Kyng Salomon loved brennyngli many alyen Wymmen," (and in a following verse) "Therfor King Salomon was couplid to yon" (those) Wymmen bi moost brennyng Love: and Wyves "as Queenes werun Sevene hundrid to hym, and thre hundred to hym, and thre hundrid secundarie Wyves," (J. M.)
- 469 John Wiccleve's English Translation of the New Testament, *fo. on Vellum*.—N. B. At the beginning of this Volume are the Lessons for the Feasts of the Year, and Two devout Treatises, one imperfect, the other, of amendinge Mannes Lyf, by Richard Hampole.
- 470 Genealogies of Scripture, and of the Kings of England to Ed. IV. *on Vellum*.
- 471 Scripture Genealogies amplified, fo.
- 472 A large Volume, fo. containing, viz.—1. Sancti Gregorij Moralia in Librum Job.—2. Dicta et Sermones Roberti Grosseteste Episc. Lincoln.
- 473 A Register of the State of the Church-Livings in the Counties of Lancaster, Dorset, Derby, Gloucester, York-Westriding, Huntingdon, Hertford, Rutland, Essex, Cambridge, Wilts, Nottingham, Bucks, Worcester, Devon, Isle of Wight, and Middlesex, and of their actual Income; with the Names of the Patrons and Incumbents, and their Characters, appearing to have been drawn up about the Year 1631, for the Use of the Committee of Enquiry after malignant and scandalous Ministers, fo.
- 474 Antiphonarium, ut videtur, Carthusianorum.—N. B. The first Leaf is the beginning of an Alphabetical Table, to some

Biblical Repertory, and is illuminated with the Episcopal Arms of Norwich, fo. *on Vellum*.

- 475, 476 Breviarium vel potius Antiphonarium, in 2 volumes, fo. with Illuminations, appearing to have belong'd either to the Cathedral of Norwich, or to some other Church in that Diocese, and to have been in use so late as Queen Mary's Time, as in the Calendar (about the middle of the Second Volume) some Obits are registered down to anno 1558, *on Vellum*.
- 477, 478 Two large Volumes of Bishop Kennet's Collections, seeming partly prepared for the Press; and entitled Diptycha Ecclesiæ Anglicanæ, sive Tabulæ sacræ in quibus facili ordine recensentur Archiepiscopi, Episcopi, eorumque Suffraganei, Vicarij generales et Cancellarij, Ecclesiarum insuper Cathedralium Priores, Decani, Thesaurarij, Præcentores, Cancellarij Archidiaconi et melioris notæ Canonici; continua serie deducti, a Gulielmi I. Conquestu ad auspicata Gulielmi III. tempora.
- 479 Rituale vel potius Antiphonarium ut supra fol.—The Character and Illuminations are quite similar to those of the Two Volumes, No. 475, 476. so that this Volume appears to have belonged to the same Church.
- 480 Statutes from Magna Charta, to 15 Hen. VI. *on Vellum*, folio.
- 481, 482 Lectiones super Statuta de Merton, Gloucester, Westminster, Marlebridge, &c. in 2 Vol. chartaceis, fo.
- 483 A Volume of Law Collections of the 14th Century, containing sundry Statutes abridged, Cases, Pleadings, &c. *on Vellum*, folio.
- 484 Statutes from the 1st Edw. III. to the 14th Henry VI. *on Vellum*, fo.
- 485 Statutes from the 1st Edw. III. to the 3d Henry V. *on Vellum*, fo.
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- 817 Library under his Charge, from 1714, 15 to 1726—807 wanting

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- 817 Account of the Defeat and Death of Sebastian King of Portugal, in Barbary, anno 1558, in Spanish, 4to.
- 818 Franciscus Petrarcha de Remediis ad utrumq. Fortunam, 4to. on Vellum, *Initials Illum.*
- 819 A Survey and Report of sundry Manors held of the Crown, in Suffex, signed Tho. Marshall, Supervisor, temp. Jac. I. 4to.
- 820 An imperfect old French Romance, in verse, which appears to be le Court Mansel, on Vellum, 4to. with very curious Drawings.
- 821 Statutes of the Order of the Garter, as reformed by Henry VIII. on Vellum. 4to.
- 822 A Miscellaneous Vol. 4to. containing, 1. Copy of Sir Hen. Spelman's Archaismus Graphicus, or Law-Contractions, with an explanation of the Abbreviations in Domesday.
—2. Copy of Archbishop Sharp's Essay on the English Coins.
—3. Annual Account of the Gold and Silver Coinage, from 1702 to 1729. —4. Extracts relative to the University and City of Oxford, from Mss and Deeds in the keeping of the Custos archivorum, &c.
- 823 Gismonde of Salern in Love, a Tragedy.
- 824 i Sonetti et Canzoni di Messer Francesco Petrarca, on vellum, 4to. with *Illuminations very fair.*
- 825 The Accompts of Charles Shales and Peter Floyer, the Undertakers for melting down the clipped Money, 1695, 4to.
- 826 Annales Roberti de Redying Monachi Westmonasteriensis, Adami Meremuth et Joannis de R—— ab anno 1299, ad annum 1367, transcribed from the Cotton Ms. Cleopatra AXVI, by the Revd. Rich. Widmore, 4to.
- 827 Jo. Caii, M. D. Tractatus de Academiis, 4to.
- 828 An Abstract of Chronology, by Sir Isaac Newton, 4to.
- 829 An Oration spoken in the Theatre at Oxford, July 7, 1756, by the Hon. Shute Barrington, B. A. in honour of the Countess of Pomfret, and of her Benefactions to the University.
- 830 Political Instructions of the Emperor Charles V, on resigning the Crown of Spain to his Son Philip II, translated from the Spanish, with a long dedicatory Epistle to Queen Elizabeth in a very fair hand, fol.
- 831 Isolario dell'Arcipelago & altri Luoghi particolari, di Francesco Lupazolo, with a Description of the Canary Islands, fol.
- 832 Manifest of the Cargo of a Venetian Ship from Constantinople to Venice, 1596.
- 833 The Book of Sydrac, or Answers to the Questions of King Bocchus, 4 parts, in old English Verse, on vellum, fol.
- 834 The Image of Ypocresie, a Poem, by Jn. Skelton, fol.
- 835 A Miscellaneous Volume, fol. containing, viz. 1. A Latin Treatise of the Forms and Ceremonies of Exorcism.—2. Vita di Gio. Gastone Gran Duca di Toscana.—3. Relazione del Governo del Regno di Napoli.—4. A Collection of Italian Sonnets to the Memory of the Marchesa Gabrielli who died at Rome, about the Year 1750.

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Collection of Drawings, fol. but in whose possession does not appear.

- 836 Some old English Verses of about the Time of Henry VIII. recommending the encouragement of the Woollen Manufactory, bearing for motto, viz. *Anglia propter tuas Naves et Lanas omnia Regna te salutare deberent*, and ending with the four following Verses

Here endyth the Boke of Ynglysh Polysye

That may cause all the Worlde yt to obeye

There may no man deny but that it ys soth

ffor every man must have Met Drynk and Cloth

annexed, the Syse (or Affise) or Rules to be observed by Millar, Butcher, Baker, Brewer and other Crafts.

- 837 The School-Exercises in Logic, of one John Cole, mostly compiled out of Keckermanni *Systema Logicæ*, Sanderfon, Scotus, Fonseca, Zabarella, &c. fol.

- 838 Mr. Agarde's Repertory of the severall Treaties between England and Germany, France, &c. from 1286 to 1551, fol.

- 839 A Miscellaneous Vol. Fol. containing, viz. 1. A Calendar of the *Rotuli Escaetorum* from Ed. II. to Ed. IV.—2. Names of Persons engaged by Indenture to do Military Service, from the time of Ed. III. to Henry VII.—3. Names of Knights Bannerets, tempore Ed. III.—4. *Instruction de l'art militaire par Philippes Duc de Cleves adressée à l'Empereur Charles V.*

- 840 A Catalogue raisonné, in Italian, of Father Resta's Collection of Drawings, containing among many bombastic Flights, large materials for the History of Painting and Painters Lives, fol.

- 841 A Catalogue raisonné, in English, of two Cabinets of Roman Medals, large, middle, and small Brasses, once belonging to the Ercolani Family at Bologna, and offered to Sale by some English Travelling Collector, fol.

N. B. My Lord has made a present of No. 842 to Lord Fitzmaurice.

- 843 Brief Memoirs relating to the Silver and Gold Coins of England, with an account of the Corruption of the hammered Moneys, and of the Reform by the late Grand Coinage in 1696, &c. by Hopton Haynes, Esq. Assay master of his Majesty's Mint, fol.

- 844 A Miscellaneous Vol. fol. containing 1. The Answer to Sir Jn. Dayes his Book of Impositions.—2. Arguments proving the King's Property in the Sea, Lands and Salt Shores thereof.—3. Jn. Keymor's Booke of Observations touching Trade addressed to James I.—4. A Treatise approving the Monarchy Government of this Kingdom from the Saxons.—5. Extracts out of the Records, wherein may be collected by what means the Kings of England have raised and may raise Moneys, (seeming to be by Arthur Agarde),

- 845 An Alphabetical Catalogue or Index in English, of some large

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- 846 A Miscellaneous Vol. fol. containing, 1. Valuation of divers Manors and dissolved Monasterys, extracted from the original Registers in Chancery, from the 27 to the 31 Henr. VIII.—2. A Survey and Report of the Tenures of the Honour of Berkhamsted, Hertfordshire, anno 1616.—3. Coronis, an Ode or Canzon royall, to the memory of Ja. I.—4. Accompt of Peers and Peeressees Payments and Subscriptions to a free Gift to Charles II, enacted by Parliament, 1661.—5. The Case of the King and Kingdom stated, anno 1662.—6. A satyricall List of Members of Parliament, bribed influenced, &c. tempore Car. II.
- 847 A Treatise on Logic, on the principles of the best Authors, ancient and modern, in a new method, fol.
- 848 A Miscellaneous Vol. fol. containing, 1. A Memorial against Imprisonment for Debt.—2. Copy of a Letter of Sir Walter Raleigh to James I.—3. Dialogue between a Counsellor and a Justice of Peace.—4. Sir Jn. Burrough on the Sovereignty of the Seas.—5. Of the ancient and modern State of the Principality of Wales by Sir Jn. Doddridge.—6. Sir Robert Cotton's Extracts from Records, containing the Revenue.—7. A politique Dispute about the happiest Marriage for the noble Prince Charles (I).—8. Wm. Noye Attorney general his Opinion on the Revenue, 1634.—9. A Duplicate of the above Article No. 5.—10. Copy of the Deed of Settlement of the Queen's Jointure, 1629.—11. Table of Fees, Wages, &c. to the Keepers of the King's Houses, Parks, Gardens, &c. temp. Jac. I.
- 849 Three very scarce old Plays, the Reliques of a larger Collection of Jn. Warburton, Somerset Herald, viz. the Queen of Corfica—the second Maydens Tragedy, and the Bugbears, a Comedy, with a Fragment, of another Comedy, in which are the Characters of Sir Homily, Mar-Church, &c.—N. B. *The following is a List of those Plays which were destroyed, as Mr. Warburton's Note (at the End of this Article) notices.*—The Honorable Loves, by William Rowley.—Henry the Ist, by Will. Shakespear and Rob. Davenant.—The fair Favourit.—Minervas Sacrifice. Phill. Masfenger.—Duke Humphery, Will. Shakespear,—Citty Shuffler.—C. Jon. Suckling's Workes.—Nothing Impossible to Love, C. Sir Rob. le Green.—The forc'd Lady, A. T. Phill. Massinger.—The Governor, T. Sir Corn. Fermido.—The Lovers of Loodgate.—The Flying Voice, by Ra. Wood.—The Mayden Holaday, by Christ. Marlowe.—The Fatal Love.—The Puritan Maid, the Modest Wife, and the Wanton Widow, by Tho. Middleton.—The London Marchant, a Com. by Jon. Ford.—The King of Swedland.—Love hath found out his Eyes, by Tho. Jorden.—Antonio and Vallia, by Phill. Massinger.—The Duchefs of Fernandina, T. Hen. Glapthorn.—Jocondo and Astolfo, C. Tho. Decker.—St. Geo. for England. by Will. Smithe.—The Parliamt. of Love, by

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Wm. Rowley.—The Widows Prize, C. Wm. Sampson.—The Inconstant Lady, Wm. Wilson.—The Womans Plott, Phill. Massinger.—The (Marchants Sacrifice, *erased*) Crafty Marchant, C. Shack. Ma.—An Interlude, by Ra. Wood, *worth nothing*.—The Tyrant, a Tragedy, by Phill. Massenger.—(The Yorkshire Gentlewoman and her Son, T. *erased*.)—The Nonesuch, a C. Wm. Rowley.—The Royal Combate, a C. by Jon. Forde.—Philenzo and Hipolito, a C. by Phill. Massenger.—Beauty in a Trance, Mr. Jon. Forde.—The Judge, a C. by Phill. Massinger.—A good beginning may have a good end, by Jon. Ford.—Fast and Welcome, by Phill. Massinger.—Hist. of Jobe, by Rob. Green.—The Vestall, a Tragedy, by H. Glapthorn.—The Noble Tryall, T. H. Glapthorn.—Yorkshire Gentlewoman, and her Son, T.—The Honr. of Women, a C. by P. Massinger.—The Vestal, a Tragedy, H. Glapthorn.—The Noble Choise, T. C. P. Massinger.—A Mask, R. Govell.—2d pt. Maiden Trag. Geo. Chapman.—The Great Man, T.—The Spanish Purchas, C.—The Queen of Corsica, T. by F. Jaques.—The Trag. of Jobe. *Good*.—The Nobleman, T. C. Cyrill Turnuer.—A Play by Will. Shakespear.—Bugbear, C. Jon. Geffrey.—Orpheus, C.—Tis good sleeping in a Whole Skin, W. Wager.—Farry Queen.

After I had been many years collecting the MSS. Plays, through my own carelesnes and the Ignorance of my Servant, in whose hands I had lodg'd them, they was unluckely burn'd or put under Pye bottoms, excepting the three which follow.—J. W (arburton,) Noticed ('tho not correctly) in Mr. Reid's Edition of Shakespeare, 1803, Vol. 2. p. 371.

- 350 A Vol. of miscellaneous Collections from various Authors, mostly relative to the History of Printing, and various matters of English Bibliography.
- 351 A Collection of Chinese Words and Phrases, with their Explanation in English, fol.
- 352 Historical Account of the Revolt of the Chactaw Indians from the French to the British Alliance, and their Return since to that of the French, 1747, &c. fol.
- 353 A Catalogue or Inventory of Warrants by Privy Seal, & other various Records in the Rolls or some other Repository, fol.
- 354 An Essay on the Improvement of the Revenue of Athens, translated from Xenophon by the Revd. Mr. Jos. Greene, with the original Greek annexed; and Notes, fol. also two Letters of the Translator to Mr. James West, on different Occasions.
- 355 A Treatise of the Law of Nature, fol.
- 356 A Miscellaneous Volume, containing, viz. 1. Of the Duties &c. of the Commissioners of the Navy—2. Jn. Keymer's Book of Observations for the King touching Trade, &c.—3. Considerations of Entercourse by Trade, dedicated to the King, anno 1630, by P. S.—4. A Discovery of the Hollan-

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- ders' fishing Trade, and their circumventing us therein.—5. Of the corrupt Abuses used in his Majestie's Service by Sea, and the Means how to reform them, anno circ. 1635.—6. A Discourse of Trading Corporations.—7. Certain special Projects, to discover and prevent Abuses, Frauds, &c. among Clerks in Office, &c.—8. Three of Sir Rob. Cotton's Tracts concerning Ambassadors, the Alteration of the Coin, and the Sovereign's Prefence in his Councils of State. (all already in Print)—9. An Account of the Foundation and Signs armorial of the severall Inns of Court, &c. in London
- 857 Copy of a Decree in Chancery, with other Papers relative to a Litigation between the Master and the Trustees of a Charity School at Heyford, Northamptonshire, An. 1682, fol.
- 858 H. Howard, Earl of Northampton's dutiful Defence of the lawful Regiment of Women, a fair Copy, presented by the Author to Cary, Lord Hunsdon, whose Arms are emblazoned on the first Leaf
- 859 Several Letters and Papers of Mr. J. Strype, mostly on private Concerns, fol.
- 860 A miscellaneous Collection of Letters, fol. among which the following may be noticed, viz.—5. One of Dr. Barth. Clerk, who hearing of Queen Elizabeth's Intention to remove him from his Place of Dean of the Arches, urges his Merits and Services to Lord Burghley, and prays his Lordship's Intercession, 1573.—6. A Letter of Sir Tho. Bodley, (copied by John Strype) concerning Peace with Spain.—7. A Letter of Lord Chancellor Egerton to Cecil, Earl of Salisbury, Lord Treasurer, (copied by Sir Mich. Hickes) with Compliments on the Recovery of his Son, Lord Cranburne, and Expressions of Concern that he should be troubled with the Clamors of Judge Cook, who he styles a turbulent and idle broken-brain'd Fellow.—8. Martino Luthero Jacobi Hibberni Epistola, 1525, (copied in the Hand-writing of John Fox)—9. A Letter concerning the Exchequer Fees on passing Sheriff's Accounts.—10. Copy of a Letter of the Earl of Clarendon to his Daughter Anne Dutchess of York.—11. An original Letter of Sir Wm. Cecil, Secretary of State, to Sir N. Bacon, Lord Keeper, expressing Fear of an Estrangement of Good-will and Friendship between them, with the Lord Keeper's Answer returned with the Letter, and at the Foot of it.—12. A Letter of H. Howard, Earl of Northampton, to Lord Treasurer Burghley, concerning his Title to certain Land, 1595.—13. A Letter of Dr. Cosins to Mr. P. Gunning, (1627) concerning Ordination of the Presbytery
- 861 Fair Copies of sundry Letters of literary, critical, and antiquarian Information, the First by H. Wanley to Sam. Pepys, Esq. and the following by the same, and by Dr. Tanner, S. Dale, N. Jekyll, &c. to the Rev. Mr. Holman, of Halsted, Essex, 1714, &c. fol.
- 862 A very elaborate Repertory to some Part of the Harleian Col.

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lection of MSS. ranged classically, under the several Heads of Matter treated of; by Humphrey Wanley, anno 1723, together with several loose Papers, among which is a Note of his own, or his Father's curious Collection of Bibles, &c. now in the Library of St. Paul's School, London, fol.

863 Humphrey Wanley's Catalogue of the printed Books in the Earl of Oxford's Library at Wympole, Cambridgeshire, fol.

864 A^m miscellaneous Volume, fol. containing, viz.—1. Observations on the late Scottish Proclamation (temp. Jac. II.)—2. A Discourse of the late Trouble happened between Mary Queen of Scotland, and her Husband, &c. anno 1566.—3. State of Matters between England and France, seeming to have been written, tempore Car. I.—4. The Case of Thomas Wells, relating his Services, as a Spy, in the late Rebellion, anno 1715.—5. The Will of Rich. Earl of Ranelagh, 1710.—6. The Case of John Duke of Marlborough, relative to some Demands of Sir John Vanbrugh, for the Building Blenheim-house.—7. H. Mayor's Supplement to his Scheme for the Service of the Campaign of the Year 1705.—8. A Part of John Strype's Account of the Life of Sir Thomas Smith.—9. Mr. Griffith Hughes's Description of the Animal Flaver.—10. Mr. Tho. Bodley's Relation of his Employments in the Low Countries, 1594, 5.—11. A Copy of the Treaty between Robert King of Scotland, and Edw. III. King of England, Mar. 17, 1327.—12. History of Prince Rupert, or remarkable Passages of his Youth till he came into England to command the Forces of Charles I.—13. A List of Persons executed for Religion in the Time of Henry VIII. and Mary.—14. Two Chapters concerning the Affairs of England, translated by Basil Kennet, from the Italian of Girolamo Catenas, Life of Pope Pius V. with a version of two Italian Letters from Mary Queen of Scots, to the same Pope.—15. Articles of Enquiry in the Bishoprick of Peterborough, Anno, 1726.

865 A Miscellaneous Volume containing viz. fol.—1. Ordinaries for, and Account of King Henry VIII. Expedition against France, Anno 1513.—2. Six points in a Soldier; and various Military Instructions.—3. A Discourse of the Sea-Course and Coasts of Norfolk and Suffolk.—4. The Assessment of Suffolk, for Ship Money.—5. Rates of Tenths, First fruits and Subsidies in the Dioc. of Lond.—6. Rentals of Church and Crown Lands in Huntingdonshire.—7. Charges of the Several Companies of London on a Muster, 1585.

866 A Miscellaneous Volume, (fol.) containing, viz. 1. An Estimate of her Majestys (Queen Elizabeth) Diet for Dynner, with the perticular Prices thereof, Sum £6, 1s, 5d.—2. A Scheme for training up Men for the Queen's (Elizabeths) Service.—3. A (tory) Letter signed Philalethes on the State of the Nation, 1678.—4. Copies of Letters and Accounts sent to the Board of Ordnance, from Minorca, by T. Pattison and

others Officers in 1725, 6.—5. A Collection of Mercantile Informations relative to Portugal and other Trade connected there with, viz. of the Brazil Diamond Trade.—Animadversions on an Estimate of the British Trade to Portugal. Scheme of a Private Adventure in Pepper, from Borneo to Venice under Imperial Colours 1723.—General Reflections on the State of Agriculture and Commerce in Portugal—in the Portuguese Language.—6. Proceedings upon the Proposals delivered, by Mr. Verelst, to the Privy Council in behalf of General Oglethorp, relating to the War in Georgia and Florida, 1741.—7. Report of the Commissioners for sick and wounded and Prisoners, of their proceedings against Joseph Crew, Agent, at Exeter, 1748.—8. Thomas Cole's Plan (or Project,) for the more Speedy Conclusion of the Present very Bloody and Expensive War, 1761.—9. Copy of a Letter of Earl Ferrers, to Ph. Carteret Webb, Esq.—10. Sept. 1761, on the Transit of Venus observed at Staunton.

867 Letter and other Papers mostly concerning the family Affairs of Dr. Fox and other Descendants of Jn. Fox, the Martyrologist, among wick are some particulars concerning Havering, a Royal Seat of Queen Elizabeth in Essex, and a Terrier or Field Book of the Demesne Lands of the Manor of Swyneshed Lincolnshire.

868 869 870 A Collection of Various Letters written to Henry Cromwell, when Lord Deputy of Ireland, 1655—8, ranged alphabetically, (being part of the Collection made use of by the Editor of Thurloe's State Papers) in 3 vol. fol.

871 The Private Account Book of the family and Household Expenses of Sir Thomas Chaloner, Clerk of the Council; temp. Edward VI. and from 1551 to 1556.

872 A Volume of very Miscellaneous single Papers, made out of the Scraps and Fragments of the Collections of the Earl of Oxford, Mr. Strype, Bishop Kennet, Mr. West and Mr. Webb, consisting of Letters, Anecdotes, Verses, Excerpts, &c. fol.

873 A Miscellaneous Volume, fol. containing, viz. 1. An Ordinance of James I. confirming the Jurisdiction of the Court of Chancery.—2. A French Catalogue of the Engravings of Wencészl. Hollar.—3. The Route of a Journey from Pera or Constantinople to Salonica.—4. Copy of the Letters Patent of Edward I. Anno 19, granting to Sundrys the Houses and Possessions of the banished Jews.—5. Copies of Sundry Patents of Denization to Aliens, from 12 Car. II. to 4 Jac. II.—6. Some Remarkable Proceedings in Parliament, Anno 1614.—7. Some of Mr. (Herald) Warburton's Collections concerning Yorkshire.—8. The Gold Mine of France opened and stopped; represented to the Princes and States of Germany, by Gerard van Wassenberg, (a Translation from the German or French).—9. Some Transcripts from Domesday Book, concerning Rutlandshire, Yorkshire and Lincolnshire.

874 A Miscellaneous Volume, Fol. containing, viz.—1. Confession General du Comte de Luc au Duc d'Orleans, Regent

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de France. N. B. this Piece is connected with the Rhapsody that follows in the next Leaf, of one George Mackenzie Quin, a political Writer and Schemer, Anno 1754.—2. A Speech in the House of Commons against the Judges, 1640.—3. Articles of the Commons against Sir Fr. Crawleys Judge in the Court of Common Pleas 1640.—4. Articles against the Lord Chancellor and the Lord Justices of Ireland; 1640.—5. Charles II's Speech to Parliament 1662, and the Votes thereon.—6. A Callendar of all the Terriers of the Glebe Lands, belonging to the several Parishes within the Eastern Division of the Diocese of Peterborough, 1728.—7. A Letter of Joao de Guimaraens, Agent from Portugal, to the Parliament of England (in Latin) desiring that a Committee be appointed to treat with him on the Subject of his Credentials.—8. A Rental of the Estate belonging to the Honour of Clitheroe.—9. An Account of Roman Pavements, particularly those discovered at Wellow in Somersetshire 1737, by S. C.—10. Catalogue of a large Collection of State Papers and Letters, &c. that were offered to Sale to the Earl of Oxford, Anno 1742.—11. The Report of John Lowe, P. Le Neve, and Charles Cole, Esquires, concerning the State of the Exchequer Records Anno 1705.—12. A State of the Cathedral of Canterbury and of the Archiepiscopal Jurisdiction throughout the Diocese, and over some Colleges, and Hospitals Anno 1678, (imperfect.)—13. Concerning the several Manors in Tottenham, and the Stewards thereof (being the 2d. Chapter of the History of Tottenham, perhaps in Print.)—14. Letter of Archbishop Tenison to Queen Anne, dated Lambeth, Jan. 31, 1712-13, remonstrating against the Irregularity of a certain Dispensation.—15. Animadversions of Bishop Kennet, on Dr. Atterbury's Book of the Rights, &c. of Convocation.—16. A lamentable Discourse concerning the Escape of Sir Charles and Sir Henry Davers, after murdering Mr. Henry Long, at Cosham, Wiltshire, Anno 1594. N. B. This article stands between No. 4 & 6, but was overlooked.

875. A Volume of Collections of Monastical History, the whole seeming to be the hand-writing, of one of the Continuator of Dugdale's Monasticon, perhaps Jn. Stevens himself. N. B. in fol. 11—14, there seems to be some Account of the Collector written by himself.

876. A Miscellaneous volume, fol. containing, viz.—1. The Perambulation of the Forest of Sherwood, Anno 14 Charles II.—2. A List of Dates of Returns of Members to Parliament, 1727.—3. Statutes and Rules proposed for the British Museum.—4. Case of the Undertaker of the China Manufactory Chelsea.—5. Returns of the Fees and Commissions of the Officers of the Court of Exchequer 1691.—6. An Account of the Losses in the Excise on Beer and Ale, with

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means proposed for advancing that Revenue.—7 A Note of Privy Seal Grants to Peers, Members of Parliament, and others 1693.—8. The extraordinary Charge of Flag Officers (tempore Geor. I.) explained and considered.—9. A Representation made by the Commissioners of the Treasury to Queen Anne 1710, of the State of the Revenue and publick Expence of that Year.

877 A Miscellaneous Volume, fo. containing, viz.—1. A Controversial Letter on the Subject of Popery from one Thomas Berbury to one Charles Trinder 1671.—2. The Opinion of the Judges concerning the Right of Judicature in Convocation, relative to the Case of Mr. Whiston.—3. The Navy-Boards Reply to answers made to their Objections against a Bill proposed in Parliament about discounting Seamen's Tickets.—4. Sir John Finch's Argument in the Case of Ship money (a fragment.)—5. Copy (in modern English) of Richard III's Patent to Robert Brackenbury of the Office of Constable of the Tower of London.—6. Lord Chief Baron Atkins's Charge on the Lent Assizes at Abingdon, Anno 1691.—7. Extracts made from the Chartulary of Pershore Abbey, (in the Augmentation Office) for the use of Robert Earl of Oxford 1723.—8. Of the Authority of the Lord Chancellor in maritime Causes (a paper of the time of Queen Elizabeth.)—9. Declaration of the Court martial Anno 1746, acquitting Admiral Lestock of the Charge against him.—10. Ceremonial of the Trial of Henry Lord Delamer 1685.—11. A Discourse on Religion, addressed to Henry VIII. by John Cheke.—12. A Certificate of Robert Archbishop of York, and others in Comm. from Henry VIII. of all the Religious Foundations in Yorkshire, their State, Revenue, &c.—13. Lamentable Discourse of the Escape of Sir Charles and Sir Henry Davers after murdering Mr. Henry Cole, 1594.—14. The Examination of Henry Sharpe, concerned in publishing the 1st Book of Martin Marprelate. 1588, before the Lord Chancellor Hatton, whose Signature is annexed.—15. Memorial of the Judges to the Lords of the Treasury concerning Delays in Payment of their Salaries, with a Writ of Privy Seal on this Subject Anno 1727.—16. An old Formulary of Chancery and other Law Instruments.—17. Copy of the Will of Wm. Brooke Lord Cobham 1588, an 30. Elizabeth.

878 Cicero de Inventione Rhetorica, Libri II. small Octavo, on Vellum, Initials painted and illuminated, morocco, gilt leaves.

879 ——— de Officijs ——— Libri III. small Quarto, on Vellum, russia, gilt leaves.

880 Columnella, Xenophon, Cato de Re rustica, Folio, on Vellum, Initials painted and illuminated. morocco, gilt leaves.

881 Imagines ex Virgilij Maronis veteri Cordice celeberrimo qui in Bibliotheca Vaticana Romæ Servatur; a Petro Sanctio Bartolæ

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picæ, seu coloribus imitatæ, expensis Camilli Maximi, Anno 1642, (Quarto,) morocco.

- 382 Virgilij Aeneis Bucolicoet Georgica, S.F.XV. (small Folio,) on Vellum, with Initials painted and illuminated, russia, gilt leaves.
- 283 Horatij Epistolæ, Sermones et Carmina una cum Juvenalis et Persij Satyris, cum Horatia Antiquissimo depicto, A Note of Dr. Askew's hand writing on the first leaf, particularly shews the great Value, and rarity of this curious Manuscript, 4to. on Vellum, Initials painted, morocco, gilt leaves.
- 384 Martialis Epigrammata, Sæc. Fort. XV. in a remarkably neat Italic Character, on Vellum, frontispiece and Initials illuminated russia, gilt leaves.
- 385 Suetonii Opera, elegantiss. Sæc. Forte XV. Olim Maffeiianus small Folio, on Vellum, frontispiece and Initials painted and illuminated, russia, gilt leaves.
- 386 Dante Alighieri Poema in tre Libri, dell' Inferno, del Purgatorio e del Paradiso; small Folio, frontispiece illuminated and very fair writing of the 14th or 15th Century, on Vellum, russia, gilt leaves
- 387 Racolta di Relazioni di diversi Corti dell' Europa da varij Ambasciatori Veneti, dall Anno, 1525 to 1589, in two Volumes small folio, in a uniform hand, but not very fair.
- 388 A Miscellaneous Volume of Letters, fol. formed out of the loose Papers of Mr. Strype, Mr. West, Bishop Kennet, &c. among which the following may be noticed, viz. 1.—Private Letters of George Blyth, to Sir Michael Hicks and others, 1572, &c.—12. Letter to Philemon Stevens, furnishing some Notes for writing the Life of Mr. Pearson, a Puritan Minister, patronized by Sir Robert Harley.—13. A Letter of M. A. de Dominis, Archbishop of Spalatro to Villars Marquis of Buckingham, asking for the Deanry of Windsor.—14. A Letter of Michael Mattaire an. 1701, to Robert Harley, Esq. concerning a Proposal to publish a Greek Lexicon, and Grammar, &c. particularly adapted to the Septuagint Bible.—36, &c. Letter of Humfrey Wanley, 1703, to the same, concerning Sir Symonds d'Ewes's Collections, and to a Clergyman in Norfolk, his Cousin, on an enquiry concerning the Pedigree of the Wanleys, which, from Tradition, he could Trace no higher than to a Taylor at Amsterdam.—39, &c. Sundry Latin Letters of Dr. Newton, Resident at Florence, to several Literati.—40. A Familiar Letter of the Duke of Shrewsbury, 1707, to Mr. Davenant.—44, &c. Letters of Dr. S. Ockley, Arabic Professor at Cambridge, concerning a Familiar Spirit of his, 1718.—46. A Letter of Consul Joseph Smith, of Venice, 1720, concerning Books proposed for Lord Oxford's Library. 50. A Letter of Dr. Richard Bentley, 1712, 13, on the Subject of his Quarrel with the Fellows of College, speaking of them very contemptuously.—55. A Letter of John Warner, London, 1724, on the Project to sup-

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ply the West End of the Town with Water from the River Coln.—67. Sundry Letters concerning Job, an African Slave, 1733-4.—75. A Letter to Mr. West, from his Uncle Wm. Ruffel, of Bodicoate concerning the family Estate, 1737.—80. A Letter to Mr. West, from R. Courteville, a Newspaper Writer for the Ministry, 1747.—84. A Letter of P. Leheup Esq. concerning the Lottery, 1754.—91. A Letter of Dr. Bury to the Vice Chancellor of Oxford, about the censoring of his Book, called the Naked Gospel.—94. A familiar Letter of J. Carteret, when a Student at Oxford, to Edward Harley, Esq. 1709.—101. A Letter giving Lord Oxford an Account of the Paris Bible of 1464, questioning the authenticity of its Date.—102. A Miscellaneous Paper of Jn. Anstis concerning the antiquarian word Starrum, the Book of Juliana Barnes, and a Mandate of Archbishop Sancroft. N. B. at No. 20 is a Letter dated Constantinople, 1638, from Jn. Greaves the Astronomer.

—888* A. M. Boetii Severini Opera Omnia, in two Volumes folio, with remarkably rich and elegant Illuminations; and in a very fair and neat character of the 15th or 16th Century. By the Arms in the frontispiece, it appears to have once belonged to the Medicæan Library at Florence; as several of the above mentioned, (except No. 887) seem also to have done, on Vellum russia, gilt leaves

889 A Collection of Epitaphs, from various parts of England, and particularly from the several Parish Churches in London, with some Copies of old monastical and ancient Roman Inscriptions, fo.

890 A Miscellaneous Volume, fo. containing, 1. Titles of all the private Acts of Parliament, passed between the 22d & 27th of Henry VIII. relative to Sales or Exchanges of Church Lands, containing 74 pages.—2. Sir Thos. Bury, Chief Baron of the Exchequer, his Sum of the Argument and Decree in a Cause between the King and the East India Company, for Arrears of Customs unpaid, 1714.—3. Journal of the Ship Bethnal Green, Captain Brace Mills, from the Downs to Jamaica, Anno 1726.—4. A Series of Accompts of the Ship Dolphin, Fr. Smithson Master, in the Newcastle Coal Trade 1705, 6 & 7.—5. Brief Instructions for making Observations in all Parts of Great Britain and Ireland, for the Discovery and working of Mines, drawn up at the Request of a Person of Honour.—6. Order of proceeding at the Funeral of Jn. Duke of Marlbro'.—7. Character of a disbanded Courtier (Lord Shaftsbury).—8. A rather long Treatise, entitled some few cursory Notes on another Treatise called *Curiosa de se*.—9. Part of some very violent Treatise against the Opposers of Court measures in Char. II's time.—10. Sailing Instructions given by Captain Charles Cotterel, on his Majesty's Service in the West Indies 1722.—11. Sundry Fragments of Historical Collections made at the latter End James I's and the beginning of Charles

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- Ist's Reign, among which are Lord Viscount Wimbledon's Instructions on the Expedition to Cadiz 1625, and his opinion about relieving Rochelle, 1627, but all imperfect.
- 891 A Volume of Italian Literature, fol. viz.—1. Tre Orazioni di Salvino, Salvini, et altri Academici della Crusca, 1709, &c.—2. Milton Paradiso perduto, primo Libro tradotto dal Conte Lorenzo Magalotti.—3. Alessandro Marchetti's Protest, at the head of his Translation of Lucretius, with some commendatory Verses addressed to him.
- 892 Oratio D. Doctoris Bathurst, habita in Domo Convocationis Oxon. October 9th, 1676, cum tribus alijs Orationibus Academicis.
- 893 A Volume of Miscellaneous Papers, fol. among which the following may be noticed, viz.—1. Several Letters and other Papers, relative to an Application to Parliament, in 1723, 4, some for restoring the Harbour of Rye, and others for making a New one at Newhaven.—2. Sundry Plans and Proposals made to Government, in 1759, 60, by Paul Beck, a political Schemer from Strasburg.—3. An English Translation of the Will of Philip IV. of Spain, 1665.—4. Orders and Instructions, of Gilbert (Sheldon,) Archbishop of Canterbury.—5. Various Fragments of Sir Symonds d'Ewes's Collections consisting mostly of Indexes to his Notes out of the Exchequer Records.—6. Account of a Visitation of an Hospital at Higham Ferrers, with the Rules and Orders thereof, 1665.—7. Humorous Hints to the Author of the Athenian Mercury, on the Vanity of Pompous Funerals.—8. A Plan of reading, recommended for the knowledge of French History.—9. Plan and Articles for erecting a Riding Academy, (in James Ist's Time,) subscribed to by the Earls of Arundel, Pembroke and other Noblemen.—10. Remarks made in Provence, and at Toulon (apparently) in Queen Anne's Time, when the English and Dutch Fleet were on that Coast.—11. Formula Certificatorii, &c. or a Form of Declaration and Oath, proposed for the Masters of Danish Ships, when trading as Neutrals, between Denmark, Norway and France, in Time of War between France and England.—12. A Breife of the Land, late belonging to the Bishop of Ely, granted to Queen Elizabeth in the 42 Year of her Reign, in Exchange for other Lands.—13. Papers concerning the rebuilding of St. Paul's, London.—14. Muster Roll of Lord Norrey's Company of Foot raised in Oxford, 1685, with some Complimentary Latin Verses to Jac. II.—15. A Letter of Thomas (Ratcliff) Earl of Sussex, to the Lord Treasurer, about the Repair of Powles Steeple.—16. A Speech (in Convocation) against Duelling.—17. A Collection of Etymological Notes of English Words.—18. Names of Noblemen and Gentlemen who have formed themselves into a Society for encouraging Learning the best way, that is, by actually rewarding Learned Men and recommending them to the chief Ministers, &c.

1712.—19. *Hec est Constitutio Domus Regis* (copied from some old Record of the King's Household).—20. Droll Verses on a Journey made by Sir James Thornhill, Painter, Gibbes the Architect, Christian, Engraver, and Bridgeman, Gardener, to Wimple the Seat of Lord Oxford, (*poor stuff*).—21. Various Keys to divers Letters written in Cypher, in the time of Hen. VIII, collected by Humphrey Wanley.—22. A foolish Paper, in which one Jn. Ellice engages to teach one Gustavus Parker the black Art, under pain of eternal Damnation; 20, June, 1696.—23. A Meanes submitted to Authority for interrupting and preventing the Trade of France, by the establishment of a temporary Pyratick Pollicy; in Q. Anne's time.—24. Henry Mc. Culloh's Observations on the Powers lodged in the Lord high Treasurer; as it concerns the Officers of the Revenue in America, temp. George II.—25. A Proposal for bringing Water from the River Coln, to the Western parts of London and Westminster.—26. A Schedule of Papers proposed to be laid before the House of Commons, concerning Cape Breton.—27. Collections of John Strype, concerning the Benefactions and charitable Funds of several of the Livery-Companies of London.—28. Articles of Instruction to the Duke of Portland's Gardeners at Welbeck and Haughton.—29. The Speech of Adam Loftus, Archbishop of Dublin, and Lord Chancellor of Ireland, on the choice of Provost Travers.—30. A Proposition for equalizing the Course of Exchanges, temp. Jac. I. or Car. I.—31. A Dissertation on the Derivation and Signification of the Word *Level*.—32. A Plan proposed by Dr. Hutton, Dr. Smith, Mr. Anstis and Humphry Wanley, to the Trustees, for compleating and perfecting the Catalogue of the Cotton Library, 29th May, 1703.—33. Copy of a Patent of Knight-hood, granted by the Emperor Rodolphus II, 1590, to a Sir Edw. Kelley.—34. Minutes or Fragments of some Letters from the English Ambassador at Constantinople, anno 1594 5, to Secretary Cecil, (*imperfect*).—35. A List of Warwickshire Noblemen and Gentlemen, 1733 and 1742.—36. Minute of Rules and Orders of the Trustees for inspecting into the State of the Cotton Library, anno 1703.—37. Account of a College of Jesuits discovered at the Combe, in Herefordshire, by J. Scudamore, 1678, (*this has been Printed*).—38. Some Account of the Society of the British Herring Fishery.—39. A Letter of Jn. Baldwin, with Hints and Proposals relative to the Isle of Man, 1753.—40. Sundry Depositions concerning the Introduction of foreign Sail-Cloth, to the prejudice of the English manufactory.—41. A Paper against encouraging the Importation of Bar Iron from America.—42. A Letter sign'd by a Number of Liverpool Merchants to some Member of Parliament, desiring his Interest to promote laying open the Hudson's Bay-Trade.—43. Summary of an Edict of Lewis XIV, giving Encouragement to the French Set-

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lements in America, and Trade in general, 1671.—44. Note of Coals imported into London, from 1670 to 1702.—45. Account of Woollen manufactures made, exported and consumed at home, anno 1688.

894 to 900 Papers of Dr. Jn. Pell, Agent and Envoy from Oliver Cromwell Lord Protector, to the Protestant Cantons of Switzerland, consisting of Credentials, Memorials, Intelligences, and Correspondence with Jn. Dury, S. Morland, Adr. Peters, Jn. Thurloe, &c. from 1654 to 1658, in 7 vols. fol.

901. A Miscellaneous Volume, fol. of various Letters, viz.—1. Mr. Jn. Strype's Notes of sundry Letters of sovereign Princes, &c. and other Papers, among those of Sir Mich. Hickes's Collections.—2. A Letter from Q. Eliz. to Sir Henry Sydney Lord Deputy of Ireland, concerning a Quarrell between the two Earls of Ormond and Desmond, 1565. (N. B. it has been printed among the Sydney papers.)—3. A Letter from Breda, describing the Ceremony of inauguration of a new Academy, founded there by the Prince of Orange, 1646.—4. and 5. Copies of two Letters of the Earl of Clarendon to the Duke and Dutchess of York, on the Subject of his Daughter's Change of Religion.—6, &c. Several Letters of German Princes and States to Queen Anne, mostly complimentary on her accession to the Crown.—11. Copy of a Letter of Sir Wm. Cecil, to the Lady Elizabeth, before her accession to the Crown.—12. A Letter from Charles III. King of Spain, to Q. Anne, dated Lisbon, 23 April, 1704.—13. A German Letter of Wm. Fred. Margr. of Anspach, to Q. Ann, dated 31 Mar. 1703.—14. Copy of three Letters of Ja. I. to his Son Charles, and the Duke of Buckingham, when at Madrid.—15. Several Letters of Philip IV. of Spain to Charles II, and one of Charles II's of Spain to Wm. III.—16 One of Charles II's circular Letters under Privy Seal, requesting a Loan £50, dated S. Germain en Laye, 1649.—19. Latin Translation of a Letter of the King of Persia, to Wm. III, desiring Restitution of some Goods belonging to some Armenian Merchants of Julfa, that had been captured on board a ship called the Gulian.—20. A Letter of the Grand Duke of Tuscany to Secretary Hedges, dated Florence, 1704.—21. Some Transcripts of Mr. Jn. Strype concerning Jn. Cheke, whose Life he published.—22. Extracts of two Letters that passed between the King of Denmark and Queen Ann, anno 1704.—24. Two Letters of Ernest Duke of Saxe-Erbst to Queen Anne, anno 1702, one acquainting her of the Birth of a Son, christened Anne in honour of her Majesty, and the other, of the Death of his Dutchess in Childbed.—25 26 27. Three Letters to Queen Anne, 1702, from the Duchess of Savoy—the States of Franconia—and the Bishop of Munster.—28. A Letter to Queen Eliz. from Katherine Suffulk, supposed to be Daughter of Francis Duchess of Suffulk.

- 902 An Account of the Progress and advancement of his Majesty's new Docks and Yard at Plymouth, 1694, by E. Dummer, Esq. who appears to have been Surveyor of the Navy, fol. N. B. it is a pattern of remarkable fine writing, accompanied with very elegant Plans and Drawings of the Buildings, &c.
- 903 A Miscellaneous Vol. fol. containing, viz.—1. Ung Livre intillé l'Instruction d'un jeune Prince per se bien gouvernor devant Dieu & le Monde.—2. An Account of the manner in which the Children of the King of France are brought up, (in French)—3. A general State of the Accompts and Expences of the British Museum; with a Memorial of the Trustees to the Lords of the Treasury, anno 1760.
- 904 A Volume of Miscellaneous Papers, mostly made up out of Mr. Jn. Strype's Collections of Cecil Papers, some originals, but many of them Transcrits, by Mr. Strype and others, among which the following may be noticed, viz.—pa. 1. Original Letter of Cranmer to Bullen, Earl of Wiltshire, concerning Reginal de Pole's Book against Queen Katherine's Divorce. (N. B. this is printed in Strype's Life of Cranmer)—3. Copy of two Letters of Cardinal Wolsey, from the Originals, penes C. Lyttleton, Ep. Carlhol.—5. &c. Duplicates of some Letters of Sir Richard Shelley, to Lord Burleigh.—12. A Letter of C. Howard to the Lord Treasurer Burleigh, 1596.—26. Original Minute of Lord Burleigh's Request to the Queen, to withdraw from her Service, being so wounded with the late sharp and heavy Speeches of her Majesty unto him, in the hearing of Lord Leicester and Secretary Walsingham, 1586.—pa. 29. Copies of two Letters of the Lord Treasurer to the Lord Deputy of Ireland.—38. Copies of Ld. Burleigh's Collection of wise Sentences out of Scripture and other Authors.—42. Copy of a Letter devised by Lord T. Burleigh as from some English Roman Catholick to the Spanish Ambassador in France, on the Defeat of the Spanish Armada, 1588.—43. Minute of a second submissive Letter of the Lord Treasurer to the Queen, 1586.—44. Minute of another, in Latin, to some Lord of Council who had been displeased with him for a Difference of Opinion.—49. Copy of a Letter of Lady Bacon, Widow of Sir Nicholas, Lord-keeper, in favour of the Puritans.—60. An original Letter of Sir Walter Raleigh to the Lord Treasurer and Lord Admiral, concerning a questionable Prize taken by a Captain under his Command, 1592.—61 to 84. Sundry Papers concerning Prize matters, under the Inspection of the Commissioners of Reprizals, 1587 to 1597.—85. Articles concerning Ireland, by the Committee of Lords and Commons at Derby House, 1647.—86. The Council of State's Commissioners, signed J. Bradshaw, President, for a Board of Admiralty, 1649.—87. A Note in the Hand-writing of Archbishop Williams, advising some Loyalist Friends in a Place besieged, (perhaps York) to treat instantly, for a Surrender, 1646.—88.

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Thomas Fairfax's Commission to Lt. Col. Jo. Reed, appointing him Governour of Poole and Brownsea.—89. Instructions of Admiral Sir Jn. Pennington to a Captain under his Command, to cruize against the Dunkirkers, 1638.

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- 936 Arms of the Kings, Nobility and Gentry of Scotland, blazoned, fol. 1586.
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Dialogue, intituled *Heraldry in a Hopfack*, by a Person of Quality, but it is imperfect, fol. collected by Herald Warburton.

945 Various Materials for the History of Bedfordshire, collected by Mr. Warburton, as above, and including the Collections of Jn. Pomfret, Rouge Croix, Pursuivant, 1758, fol.

946 to 956 Mr. Warburton's Collections of Materials for the History of Yorkshire, 11 Volumes, fol.

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958 Descriptions of the Arms of Yorkshire Families, ranged alphabetically.

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960 961 Two Volumes of Collections of Copies of Charters and other Records, with various other Materials for the History of the Diocese and County Palatine of Durham, appearing partly to be by the same Hand as the above, fol.

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- 965 *Nomina diversorum Villarum & Hundredorum in Comitatu Oxon, Berks, Buckingham, Northampton & Bedford*, per Dms Comissionar. Dni. Edwardi nuper Regis Anglie secundi anno Regni sui nono, fol.
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- 967 Another Volume of Collections for the History of Yorkshire, by the same, mostly in print from Speed, Camden, &c. but among the Mss part is Copy of a Letter of one F. Tr. to Sir Tho. Chaloner, concerning certain Curiosities in the Lordship of Gisborough in Cleveland, 4to.
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- 1299 An Account of the Livings, &c. in the gift of the Lord Chancellor, copied 19 Nov. 1737, from an Original MS. belonging to the late Lord Chancellor Talbot.
- 1300 Fombelle's (Henry) *Practical Geometry*, *Planimetry* and *Stereometry*, morocco, gilt leaves.
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- 1302 *Revenue*, a Volume containing various Miscellaneous Papers relative to the Revenue, from 1652, to 1758.
- 1303 *Ville de Paris Compte au Roy*, 1780 à 1782, morocco.

ORIGINAL ROYAL LETTERS AND PAPERS.

HENRY VI.

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- 1304 Proclamation from the Duke of Clarence, in the name of Henry VI: " That no one presume to spoil or rob the Mannors of Barton and Elveston, Derbyshire," *with the Duke's Autograph.*

HENRY VIII.

- 1305 Five, ORIGINAL PAPERS, on the following Subjects.—1. To Thomas Dowty, desiring him to furnish a Cabin in his Ship, to a Servant, bringing Hawkes from Iceland.—2. A Letter to Dr. Knight, the King's Ambassador, in favor of Barnaby, a Merchant.—3. Letter to Sir Edward Poyninges and Dr. Knight, Ambassadors to the King of Castile, for satisfaction to be demanded for the stay of an English Ship, put in by stress of weather, to Zealand.—4. Letter to Sir Daniel Owen, to provide 100 men to go into France with the King, in behalf of the Pope, against the French King.—5. A List of Jewels sent from Greenwich to Hampton Court. N. B. *The King's own Signature to all the above Papers.*
- 1306 Two, ORIGINAL LETTERS from Queen Katherine Parr, one to the King whilst he was absent in France; 2d. to the University of Cambridge.—N. B. *The former is written and signed by the Queen, the latter not sign'd.*
1307. Two, ORIGINAL PAPERS.—1. A Letter from Cardinal Wolsey, (*in his own hand writing*) to Stephen Gardiner, B. of Winchester, soliciting his services with the King, towards obtaining his pardon, dated at Ether.—2. A Proclamation of the Peace concluded between Hen. VIII. and Francis Ist, the French King.

EDWARD VI.

- 1308 Four, ORIGINAL LETTERS of the King. (*in his own hand writing*)—1. To the Earl of Hertford, in Latin.—2. To the Duke of Somerset his Uncle, upon success gained against the Scots.—3. Testimonial, concerning Vicentius Belayeius, a Florentine, who bore arms under the English; *written by the King, and subscribed by the hand of Six of the Privy Council.*—4. A Memorial of the King's.

LADY JANE GREY.

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- 1309 AN ORIGINAL LETTER of Lady Jane Grey (*signed Jane the Queene*) to her right trusty and right well beloved Cousin and Councillor the Lord Marquis of Northampton; advertising him of her entry into the Tower of London, as rightful Queen of the Realme.—N. B. *in this Letter, she styles Queen Mary, "bastard Daughter to her great Uncle Henry VIII."*

MARY, QUEEN OF SCOTTS.

- 1310 Five, ORIGINAL LETTERS. (*The first two written all with her own hand, the others only sign'd by her*)—1. To the Lord Admiral, declining her interference in a Suit he requested.—2. *in French*, a Monsieur de Bourlei, grand Tresaurier D'Angleterre, desiring him to use his Mediation with the Queen.—3. To a Bishop (*in the Scottish dialect*) desiring him to attend to the Earl of Murray's doings, &c. 1568.—4. To the Earl of Northumberland, concerning a ship wreck'd upon the Coast, and desiring him to send her the goods and money taken in it.—5. To Sir George Somersett and others informing them of the Death of the King, dated 1553.

ELIZABETH.

- 1311 Four, ORIGINAL LETTERS of Elizabeth (*before she was Queen*)—1. To the Lord Protector, in favour of Catherine Ashley,—2. To the Lord Protector, in answer to his Letter, declining her Suit.—N. B. *In this Letter she hints it might be well for a Proclamation to prevent evil rumours being spread of the King's Sisters*.—3. To her Sister the Lady Mary, upon the Sickness of the latter.—4. To Mary (*after she was Queen*) expressive of her Affection and Duty.
- 1312 A Paper touching a Declaration of Successor to the Crown, with Queen Elizabeth observations on it, (*in her own running hand*.)
- 1313 Five, Papers.—1. Catherine Ashley's Petition to the Lord Protector in behalf of a poor man, *with a Postscript in the Princess Elizabeth writing*—Thus. "I pray you further this poor man's Sute, your frende Elizabeth."—2. A Letter from the Queen to Sir Amyas Paulet, of Praise and Thanks, and alluding to some actions of Mary Queen of Scots, (*sign'd by the Queen's hand*).—3. A Letter from Mathew Parker, Archbishop of Canterbury, dated 1571, concerning the Houses of Court being disorderly and Licentious.—4. 5. Two Letters of Chevalier Denton, dated 1600-1, *one directed to Prince Henry*.
- 1314 Three Proclamations, on Various Occasions, *Sign'd with the Queen's sign Manuel*.

JAMES Iſt.

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- 1315 AN ORIGINAL LETTER, of the King, to his Son, of regret at their parting, (*wholly written and ſign'd by himſelf*).
- 1316 AN ORIGINAL LETTER (and Copy) of Arabella Seymour to the Queen, thanking her, for her Mediation with the King.
- 1317 Two Letters of the King of Scotland, dated 1584, concerning Rebels and Fugitives.—2. In favour of certain Merchants ſent to provide neceſſaries for his Marriage.
- 1318 Fifteen, Letters of Eminent Perſons during this Reign, *with Autographs*.

CHARLES Iſt.

- 1319 Four Proclamations on Various Occaſions, *with his Autograph*.
- 1320 An Order iſſued by Prince Rupert, 1643, *with his Autograph*.

CHARLES II.

- 1321 Nine Letters and Proclamations, &c. of the King, from St. Germain and other Places, *Sign'd by himſelf*.
- 1322 Five, ORIGINAL LETTERS, of the King (*in his own hand*), viz.—1. From Portſmouth, 21ſt May, 1662, giving a deſcription of his Queen Donna Catherina, Infanta of Portugal, on his Wedding Day.—2. From Portſmouth, 25 May, in Praise of his Queen.—3. From Hampton Court, without date, vindicating Lady Caſtlemaine, from ſcandalous Reports, and expreſſing his determination that ſhe ſhall be of his Wife's Bed-chamber.—4. From Hampton Court (dated June 7, 1662.) giving an Account of the Insolent Conduct of Sir Henry Vane, and ſignifying his wiſh that he might be “*honeſtly put out of the way*.”—5. Stating that his Brother had ſpoken with the Queen, about the owning of his Son, and that “*in much paſſion ſhe told him that from the time he did any ſuch thing, ſhe would never ſee his face more*.”—N. B. No. 4. *Is exceedingly curious, and has the following indorſement in Mr. Weſt's hand-writing*.—This Letter was wrote by the King, 7 June, 1662, and that Day ſevennight Sir Henry Vane was beheaded. J. W.
- 1323 Twenty-ſeven Letters to Prince Rupert, and one to the Duke of York (*moſt of them in the King's own hand*) chiefly upon Naval Matters.
- 1324 Two Letters from the Duke of Monmouth.—1. To his Maſteſty from Oſtend, dated 4th March, 1677, upon Military

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Business.—2. To the Queen Dowager, dated Ringwood, 9th July, 1685, supplicating the Queen's Intercession that he might be Pardoned.

JAMES II.

1325 AN ORIGINAL LETTER, from the King to the Queen of Bohemia, his Aunt; giving an Entertaining Account of a Dance.

1326 Fourteen, ORIGINAL LETTERS of the King, while Duke of York, chiefly upon Naval Affairs; and one to the Town of Cambridge, with his *Autograph*.

WILLIAM III.

1327 Three Papers, two of them, with the *Autograph* of the King.

ANNE.

1328 Three Letters, viz.—1. (without date) intituled, The Princess Anne of Denmark to the Queen.—2. To the Duke of Wertemberg.—3. To Lord Oxford.—4. and a Paper intituled The Word for July, 1710, *all but the first, sign'd by the Queen's hand.*

GEORGE Ist.

1329 Nine Letters from the King whilst Elector of Hanover, to Mr. Harlev, *with his Autograph to each*, and five ORIGINAL LETTERS from the Princess Sophia to the same.

GEORGE II.

1330 AN ORIGINAL LETTER of Queen Caroline to the Archbishop (Wake)

1331 Two Warrants, with the King's Signature.

OLIVER CROMWELL.

1332 Three ORIGINAL LETTERS from him, viz.—1. To Lord Fairfax.—2. To Col. Francis Hacket.—3. To Dr. Love.

1333 Three Warrants, with Oliver Cromwell's *Signature*, and an ORIGINAL LETTER from Bradshaw to him.

RICHARD CROMWELL.

1334 AN ORIGINAL LETTER from him to his Brother the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.—2. A Warrant *sign'd by him.*

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- 1335 Seventeen Miscellaneous Letters from eminent Persons, most of them Originals.

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- 1336 Two, Original Letters, viz.—1. From Louis XIII. to the Prince of Wales, 1612.—2. From Louis XIV. to the Prince Robert Palatine, 1673.

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- 1337 Six, Original Letters and Papers, viz.—1—2. From Philip IV. to Char. II^d of England.—3. From Cha. II^d of Spain, giving an Account of a Treaty between him and Leopold, Emperor of the Romans.—4, 5, 6. Three Letters from the King of Spain to the Queen, 1704.

GERMANY.

- 1338 Three, Original Letters, viz. 2 in Latin, from Leopold to Queen Anne, 1703.—3. From the Empress Eleonora Magd. Theresia to the same, 1702.

POLAND.

- 1339 Two, Letters from Augustus II^d, to Queen Anne, 1703.

DENMARK.

- 1340 Eight, Original Letters, viz.—1. Sophia, Queen of Denmark, to Prince Henry Frederick, 1603.—2 to 6. Christian IV. to the same Prince.—7. Queen Anna Catharina to Princess Arabella, of Great Britain, 1606.—8. Frederick IV. to Queen Anne, 1702.

SWEDEN.

- 1341 Two, Original Papers, viz.—1. Cha. XII, to Queen Anne, 1703.—2. Credentials for his Ambassador to the same.

PRINCES OF ORANGE.

- 1342 Five, Original Letters, viz. to King James the First, Prince Robert, &c.

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